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In this age of bad whisky and *extended liquor*, it is pleasant to know that there is a pure article of pure wine in the market. We have reference to Speer's Sanburg Wine, which was on exhibition at the fair, and a glass was given to each visitor who claimed it. Our was prostrated to me, and I do admit it to my lips as much unwillingly, but was agreably disappointed in finding it one of the most delicious beverages I had ever tasted. I doubt whether there is a vineyard in the Old or New World that can yield a wine at all comparable to this in richness and delicacy of flavor. Mr. Speer prepares it by a new process peculiar to himself, without the addition of spirits, and each bottle he sells is guaranteed to be four years old. It should find its way to London and Paris.—*Boston Transcript*.

Speer's Sanburg Wine is sold wholesale and retail at Joseph Fleming's Drug and Patent Medicine Depot, No. 81 Market street, corner of Diamond, near Fourth street.

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All the late Papers and Magazines at Pittock's, opposite Postoffice.

Arbor Saloon.

Capt. B. Gallisath, Company F, Fifth Pennsylvania cavalry, having purchased Theodore Franck's Arbor Saloon, 62 Diamond alley, will open Monday, 12th inst., with free lunch and the celebrated Great Western Band. The Captain invites all his old comrades in arms, and veteran soldiers generally, to call.

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Photographs.

Every person should have one of the Lincoln and Washington Photographs. Can be had at Pittock's only.

Photograph Albums.

Pittock is still selling Photograph Albums at cost.

Sherman and Sheridan.

Photographs of Sherman and Sheridan at Pittock's, opposite Postoffice.

Business Change.

C. Hanson Love has sold out at his old place of business, and his brother, F. Marion Love, and him have associated themselves together and purchased the stock, lease, &c., of James M. Burchfield, corner of Fourth and Market streets, and in addition to the stock purchased from Mr. B. they are now receiving a large and well selected stock of dress goods, shawls and domestic goods at very low prices. Please call and see us at our new place of business, on the corner of Fourth and Market streets, in the store formerly occupied by J. M. Burchfield, Esq.

Linen Goods.

Ten-fourths linen sheeting at $1 25 and $1 50, just one-half former prices. Linen table damasks, 7-8, $1, $1 25 and $1 50, nearly one-half former prices. Linen towels and shirting linen, equally cheap, at Barker & Co.'s, 59 Market street.

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Black and colored Silks, in great variety, and very cheap, at Barker & Co.'s, 59 Market street.

"Your Organs are Unrivaled."

Mason & Hamlin take pleasure in presenting the following letter from the two eminent Pianist, S. B. Mills:

NEW YORK, May 22d, 1865.

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[Signed] S. B. MILLS.

The Mason & Hamlin Cabinet Organs are to be had in this city *only* of their authorized agent, Mr. C. C Mellor, No. 81 Wood street.

"THE RE-UNION OF THE METHODIST CHURCH.—Twenty years ago in the month of May, the General Conference of the Methodist Church, sitting in the city of New York, was rent in twain on the question of slavery. In the State street Methodist Church in Mobile, on Sunday, May 21st, the question was put by the Rev. Mr. Taylor to the vast audience, of rebuilding to the old Church, North, as it is sometimes called, and the vote was unanimous. The Knoxville *Whig* says: "Bishop Clarke and Rev. Dr. Poe, of Cincinnati, will attend at Athens, East Tennessee, June first, to organize a loyal Holston Conference, and such ministers as wish to join the new Conference are invited to attend. Those out of whom the legions of devils have been cast by the terrible exorcism of civil war, will attend at Athens, and those who still pant for the flesh-pots of Egypt, and hope to get back their negroes, will stay away, in the hope of getting their lost right in the demoralized Church, *South*."

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OIL INTELLIGENCE.

Oil Found in Cambria County—The Indiana County Oil Regions—Oil Strike at Smith's Ferry—Petroleum Found in Fulton County.

On Saturday last, Mr. Phillip Collins, of Ebensburg, manager of the Ebensburg Oil Company, struck oil at a depth of three hundred and twenty-seven feet from the surface. The well is located in Allegheny township, Cambria county, about eight miles from Ebensburg, three miles east of Loretto, and in close proximity to Gibbons' Loretto Springs. Operations were commenced on the well on the 3d of May, and a month afterward to the day success crowned their efforts. Some ten or twelve days ago, a vein of water was struck, which, for a time, flowed freely, a volume rising probably forty feet in the air. This is the first oil which has been found in Cambria County. It is not known how many barrels per day the well will yield. Enough for the present that it has been satisfactorily demonstrated that petroleum exists in Cambria County—on the very summit of the Allegheny Mountains.

Much ado is being made over Pit Hole Creek oil territory by the speculators and sharpers, who seem to forget that it has been practically demonstrated that there are as good oil regions elsewhere in Venango. If one territory should prove better than another, the proof will be furnished in the yield of the wells, not in the *ipse dixit* of interested speculators. Pit Hole creek possesses good yielding territory; so does Oil creek, the Hickories, Sugar creek and other well known localities. Parties about to invest should exercise the greatest caution just now. Bubble companies have had their day, and speculators will resort to every expedient, no matter what may be its character, to get rid of lands and stocks, of fictitious value.

The Hollowell Oil Company has commenced putting down a well on the farm of Ezekiel Gibson, in Green township, with good prospects. The Ellsworth *Dispatch* says:—A few days ago, Mr. Tredeig, Superintendent of the Conemaugh, Blacklick, and Mahoning Oil Company, dug out a small quantity of earth, when a spring was noticed boiling up; he dug down perhaps one foot and came to rock. The spring continued boiling up and filling the hole with water, which appeared rather oily. Mr. T thinking he would fairly test it, took a match, ignited it, and applied the fire; the surface of the Spring immediately took fire and commenced burning. It has now been burning for fifty-eight hours. This spring is situated a few hundred yards below the Eagle well, and has been visited by large numbers who at first believed it to be an "oil yarn," but came away satisfied that it was a regular burning oil spring. Some of our skeptical friends in Indiana had better call and see this curiosity, for seeing is believing.

Oil was struck in the Pritchard well at Smith's Ferry, on Friday, at the depth of 175 feet. The oil is of the excellent quality usually obtained in that locality, and the show is fine for a good well. One-fourth of the Patton well, at the same place, has been purchased, on Saturday last, and sold to O. H. P. Green, at $4,100.

Oil has been found, in a spring near Burnt Cabins, in Fulton county. A Maryland Oil Company is about commencing operations in that State, immediately on the southern line of Fulton county. The engine, tools and fixtures necessary for the development of the bore, have been lying on the opposite bank of the Potomac for some time awaiting the subsidence of the water, which has thus far been too high for fording. The prospects of the company for a speedy strike are said to be first class.

Operations in Erie county are quite brisk, Dr. Gardner has the Erie *Dispatch* with the following items relative to the wells: The pioneer of Erie oildom—Peter Althof—succeeded on Monday by exploding his sucker rods, and pumped over a barrel of oil in about an hour. The Morton well is pumping gas, with good indications of oil. The Gingerich well, a short distance south of the city, is 200 feet deep. This well is located on the old "pic-nic" grounds, and the drill has just gone through a layer of sandstone. The water is boiling over the top of the well. The Evans well is 200 feet deep and still blocked by the tools. Vitter's well on Walnut creek is 300 feet deep, and the drill has gone though a deposit of soapstone and shells, but some gas is coming up. George Reynold's well is down 700 feet deep. The sand pump has been bringing up slate and black soot. A flock of sheep eat this mixture as soon as emptied out. The boctor also says that he visited the above well, and also that of Reynold's well, where he found Mr. P. O'Connor at work. Mr. C. soon gathered a wine-glass full of lubricating oil from the crevices of the rocks, from the crevices in the rock. If any one doubts the existence of oil in Erie county he is advised to go to this county, and he will soon be convinced of examine the geological structure of the rocks. The petroleum is found in the crevices at a distance of ten feet from the surface. The Tenth street well in the city, is now 95 feet in depth. At 297 feet a very heavy vein of gas was struck, and it ejected salt and oil of the strongest kind, and pieces of slate clear over the derrick. The noise was something extraordinary. A good well was struck Friday last on Sage run, opposite oil City. It has been tubed, and is pronounced to be a forty barrel well.

The Maumee river country, near Toledo, Ohio, is said to be rich in oil indications. A correspondent says the Keeler Farm has already become locally noted as an oil tract, but the most promising indication that this subterraneous wealth of Lucas county will be developed are now to be found at Waterville. Since quite early in the spring Waterville has been the centre of attraction and investigations of some of the most prominent "oil men" in the country. The rock formations about Waterville have been thoroughly examined by eminent geologists, and as found in Western Pennsylvania, all the present indications of the presence of oil, and so well are men that are judges in the matter satisfied that a large amount of the territory in the vicinity, that several companies have been formed by men of capital from other localities.

PUMPING OIL ON SUNDAY.—The people of Oil Spring, Canada West, says the *Spectator* of May 31st, are discussing through the columns of their very excellent local newspaper a subject of some importance, both in a Christian and social point of view. It seems that the stoppage of a well over Sunday generally causes the water to flow so that it cannot again be overcome until the middle of the week, and in the case of some wells, prove altogether ruinous. Is it permissible, under these circumstances, for them to pump on a Sunday. One writer asserts with great apparent authority, that it is not, quoting the fourth commandment, and denouncing the conduct of those who continue to work on the Sabbath, as violaters of the law of God and the Sabbath of the earth. On the other hand, the advocates for Sunday labor assert that the work is one of necessity, that it bears analogy to the blast furnace, which even in Sabbath-observing Scotland, work the Sunday through without challenge, upon the ground that their stoppage would involve a very great loss. They quote the statute of Upper Canada, which forbids all ordinary labor or occupation on the Sabbath, "conveying passengers or her Majesty's mail, by land or water, selling drugs and medicines, and other works of necessity and charity only excepted." And they contend that pumping oil is as well, on the Sabbath, in view of the great loss that would accrue from its stoppage for one day in the week, comes within the exception. The question is nice one, which the leave to jurists and theologians to settle.

Fire in Chicago—Eight Lives Lost.

Two wholesale houses were destroyed by fire in Chicago, last Monday evening. The three-story building, No. 85 south Water street, occupied by Zea & Zimmerman, commission merchants, and the commission warehouse of Montgomery & Kenly, No. 107, agents for oils, drugs, and whiskies. In an instant, as it were, great volumes of the devouring element darted out through the upper windows, the heat being so intense that the glass melted at its touch. The fire burned downwards rapidly, and at about a quarter past nine, a large quantity of coal oil caught the flames, when a low, thunder-like rumbling was heard, caused by the explosion of the barrels. The fire burned with great fury consuming everything within its reach. At about 11 o'clock the walls of the building fell in, burying eight firemen in the ruins. The following is a list of the sufferers by the fire, together with the amount of their losses:

Zea & Zimmerman, Commission Merchants, Losses $5,000. Insurance not known.

Montgomery & Kenly, oils, turpsand whiskies, Losses $25,000. Insured about $10,000.

J. P. Wallace, Commission Merchant. Loss $5,000. Insured.

Lyman & Co.'s egg drying establishment is a total wreck. Loss not known.

Ambrose & Miller, Commission merchants, saved all their books and valuable papers. Loss $1,000. Fully insured.

Stearns & Forsyth, Wholesale Grocers, Damaged by water and moving of goods, $600. Fully Insured.

Hart, Austen & Co., Corn Exchange Bag Factory, losses by water and removal of goods, estimated at $500. Fully insured.

Pennsylvania Oil Company. Losses slight. The building, which contained great quantities of oil, had a most miraculous escape from destruction, which is greatly owing to the brave men who manned the steam firengine Liberty.

Scott Brothers, Wholesale Grocers. Losses slight. The buildings were owned by T. Y. Seamon, B. F. Sherman and Mr. Taylor, President of the Illinois Coal Company. Probable loss $30,000. Insurance not known.

"CANADIAN" A TERM OF REPROACH.—The detective Montgomery, whose evidence has just been released from the ban of secrecy, testified that among other of the slang phrases invented by Thompson, Sanders, Clay, and the other conspirators in Canada, if they wanted to speak of a man as a friend to their cause, and as such to be trusted with their confidence, the expression used was, "*he is a Canadian*." When the detective said Payne at Mr. Clay's rooms, and asked him some question, Payne replied, "I am a Canadian. When afterward the detective told Clay of this, not knowing what he meant, Mr. Clay laughed and said, "That's so. He is a Canadian." He added, "We trust him." "Canadian," added the witness, "is an expression for their friends, and his conduct was an indication that their intercourse was of a very confidential nature."

THE TURF.

Patterson Races—The Steeple Chase—Two other Exciting Races—Woodlawn Races at Louisville—Best Two Mile Race on Record—Chicago Driving Park—Trot over Fashion Course, Long Island.

The attendance at the Patterson races on Wednesday, the second day, was tremendous. Every inch of space on the various stands was fully occupied, and there was a great deal of trouble in finding seats for the ladies. Never since the great races between Eclipse and Henry, and Fashion and Boston have such a multitude of people come together on a race course in this country, and the great good feeling and courteous behavior of all were subjects of general remark.

First Steeple Chase in America.

The great attraction was, ungtestionably, the steeple chase, in which four good horses had been entered, and four bold, game and capable men were to ride. The course laid out for them admitted of no baby-play. There were several stiff hurdles, post and rail fences, two stone walls, a jump down a bank, a leap over an earth mound, a double post and rail fence, and a brindle with a fourteen foot water jump, close to the stand. These were all to be taken three times. Offers were made to lay money that each horse would fall before the race was over, and taken—the bets, of course, being on each of the horses separately. Meantime the jockeys weighed one after the other, and still the people came by thousands. The time for the start arrived but the cry was "still they come," and some delay was absolutely necessary to enable them to get inside the course, when the horses were saddled and mounted and came to the post there could not have been less than ten thousand people in eager expectation of the exciting sport to come.

FIRST RACE.—Steeple chase, a handicap for all ages, $700, about three miles, two of which were over a "fair hunting country," with twenty-seven jumps; entrance money to go to the second horse.

Mr. Pepper entered ch. m. Nannie Craddock, 5 yrs 10 lbs.....1

Dennis Ready entered br. h. Ziggag, 158 lbs.....0

Mr. Jennings entered ch. h. Charley Riley, 152 lbs.....0

Time, 9:24.

Nannie Craddock made a beautiful finish, the Maid of Ottawa getting the second place for coming in right, although a long way behind, while Ziggag and Charley Riley were not placed at all.

SECOND RACE.—The Underwood Gift of $200, for all ages, one mile dash, entrance money to go to the second horse.

John Hunter entered b. c. Arcola, by Lexington, dam Topaz, by Glencoe.....1

Mr. Hoy entered ch. c. Lexicon, by Lexington, dam by Glencoe.....2

F. Morris entered g. c. by imp. Eclipse, dam Fidelity.....3

Bowie & Hallenteed br. m. Velvet, by knight of St. George, dam by Glencoe.....4

F. Smothor entered ch. f. by Gray Eagle, dam unknown.....5

Time, 1:55.

Arcola was the favorite against the field, selling at $175, while Velvet brought $115, Lexicon $80, No Record $60, and Topaz and Fidelity $20. The gray took the lead at the start and held it around the turn, Lexicon second, Arcola third, Velvet fourth, and Topaz fifth. Lexicon came home a winner by four lengths, Lexicon second, the gray third, Velvet a poor fourth and the Gray colt fifth, Topaz and Fidelity last.

THIRD RACE.—Selling stakes of $300, for all ages, one and-a-quarter mile dash. Horses entered to be sold for $3,000 allowed 7 pounds; if for $2,500, 14 pounds; if for $2,000, 21 pounds. The winner to be sold at a public auction immediately after the race. Entrance money to go to the second horse.

L. Morris entered g. g. Throgsneck, aged, 5yrs, 107 pounds.....1

Bowie & Hallenteed br. m. Velvet, 4 years, $2,000, 90 pounds.....2

T. G. Moore entered b. c. by Lexington, 4 yrs., $200, 90 pounds.....3

E. Sneider entered b. g. Seamen, 4 years, $300, 80 pounds.....4

D. McCoun entered blk. c. Black Knight, 4 years, $200, 83 pounds.....dr.

Time, 2:18½.

Throgsneck won the race by half a length, and was sold to Captain Moore for $600. The three-mile dash was announced to come off, was postponed, there being no entries for the premium offered.

Woodlawn Races—Best Two-mile Heat on Record.

On Tuesday, the second day of Woodlawn races, at Louisville, one of the most exciting ever witnessed in the country came off. The crowd in attendance was large, and the fact pointed time the horses were both brought on the track by the finest condition, and each seemed to know that the contest he was to called upon to make. The entries were R. A. Alexander's Asteroid and Mr. Harper's Louistone, both by the redoubtable Lexington, who made the fastest two-mile race ever run in the world over the Metairie Course, New Orleans, the time being 3:19¾.

Although Asteroid appeared to be the favorite from the start, and in the end proved to be the winner of the purse, Annexed is a summary of the race:

Two-mile Heats, all ages.....Purse $2,500

John Harper names g. c. Louistone, by Lexington, dam Blue Blue Bonnet—dress, orange and orange.....

R. A. Alexander names b. c. Asteroid, by Lexington, dam by Glencoe—dress, blue and white.....

TIME.

	1st heat.	2d heat
1st mile	1:49	1:44
2d mile	1:47½	1:54
Total	3:36½	3:38

The above is the best two mile race on record, no race having yet been run where both heats were made in the remarkable time of those circumstanced above, and it will be seen all the present indications of the presence of oil, and so well are men that are judges in the matter satisfied that a large amount of the territory in the vicinity, that several companies have been formed by men of capital from other localities.

Chicago Driving Park.

The third series of the June meeting took place Wednesday, on the grounds of the Chicago Driving Park Association. The weather was fine. The grand stand was well filled, and great numbers of vehicles lined the inner inclosure, every one of the stalls was occupied by a "turnout," and many were obliged to ander their teams in the open air. To add to the eclat of the occasion, Major General Hooker was there, received on his entrance, with three hearty cheers. He was accompanied by Major Gen. Col. Hart and Maj. Lawrence, of his staff, Colonel Ellison, Depot Quartermaster at this post, and several well known citizens.

The first race was for a purse of $300 with inside stake of $100 each p. p., two mile heats to harness. There were four entries—Nobedish, Cooley, Carrie, and Lady Walker. The two first only came on the track, and all at once Nobedish disappeared and Cooley went over alone, making the extraordinary trot of two miles in 5:14 without competition.

THE SECOND RACE was a double time contest for a purse of $200 for which there were four entries, one was withdrawn. The following is the summary.

W. Patrick's team, Jessie and mare.....1 1

O. W. Dimmick's team, Toby and mate.....2 2

W. H. Godfrey's team, Lilly Simpson and mate.....drawn

Time, 2:43 and 2:48¾.

THIRD RACE.—The third was a race not on the bills for a made up purse with the following results:

J. Conlisks br g Quaker Boy.....2 2

P. Leonard's b h Jersey Boy.....1 1

J. Prednore's b g Ripton.....dis

Time—2:47½; 5:21.

Trot on Fashion Course.

On Wednesday, an exciting tort came off on Fashion Course as follows:

Match $2,000, mile heats, best three in five, in harness.

D. Pffer, named br. s. Toronto Chief.....1 1 1

D. Mace, named ch. m. Ella Sherwood.....2 2 2

Time, 2:34½—2:31.

FIRST EDITION.

12 O'CLOCK, M.

Highly Interesting.

MOVEMENTS OF GEN GRANT

His Visit to West Point

Interview with Gen. Scott.

THE NEW STEAMSHIP MANHATTAN.

Bureau of Freedmen in Kentucky and Tennessee.

REBELS ASKING AUDIENCE OF THE PRESIDENT.

President Besieged by Office Seekers.

Special to Western Associated Press.

NEW YORK, June 9.

Gen. Grant left this city at an early hour yesterday morning for West Point, on board the steamboat Henry Bondin, accompanied by his wife, Gen. Augur, Gen. Seth Williams and members of his staff. He reached West Point about half past ten o'clock in the forenoon, and was most enthusiastically received. In addition to the regular residents and visitors, people of the entire surrounding country flocked in to see him and shake his hand.

General Scott donned his full military dress, and had on the sword of his father, awaiting the arrival of General Grant. Their interview was very cordial and earnest.

During the day General Grant received throngs who called to pay their respects. He attended for a short time the examination exercises in the academy, and reviewed the cadets.

The New steamship Manhattan, the first vessel of the new line between this city and Vera Cruz, went on a trial trip down the river to-day and acquitted herself in a satisfactory manner. The Manhattan is to sail on her first trip for Vera Cruz, via Havana on the 16th.

The *Tribune's* Washington special says: Col. Cadle, Assistant Adjutant General, and other staff officers of the 14th Corps leave for the West this evening, thus completing the movement of the army of Georgia.

The 14th Corps, Brevet Maj. Gen. Jeff. C. Davis commanding, belonging to the Army of Georgia, will begin to leave to-morrow. The Western troops of the Twentieth Corps will follow the 4th, thus breaking up said organization. A reunion for the last time of the officers of the 4th and 20th corps took place this evening near this city. General Halleck is still in command, and his prominent staff officers are Virginians.

The *Times'* Washington special says: Maj. Gen. Palmer was last evening presented to Gen. Fisk, superintendent of the Freedmen's Bureau for the States of Kentucky and Tennessee, by a delegation of colored people from Louisville, and in the course of the evening, after learning the condition and wants of the negro population of Kentucky, and discussing the extent their people have to do for themselves, Gen. Fisk informed the delegation that every assistance consistent and proper would be rendered by the Government to Kentucky, and that the Government had determined to apply for the purpose funds arising from working abandoned lands, &c., and to call upon the whole country, from the Ohio to the Lakes North to unite their hands and place them in control of the Freedmen's Bureau.

The people of Kentucky are getting to be quite numerous here-about. They are getting about the White House all the long, for the purpose of gaining audience with the President.

There is no truth in the report that John Mitchell has ordered to leave the country under penalty of arrest.

The *Herald's* special says the President is dailyliterally overwhelmed by delegations from Kentucky, &c. A delegation of Baltimoreans were presented to him, who protested against the removal of the present Federal office-holders in that city.

It is well understood the President will pursue the same policy relative to other southern cities that he has already adopted in regard to Louisville, by the appointment of Provisional Governors. The rebel State Governments will not be recognized at present.

The *Herald's* special says: Information has reached Washington that if our Government will agree to the cession of Canada, England will endeavor to obtain for Canada, from the Imperial Government, certain neutrality in all future foreign wars. There is precedent for this in the previous action of Great Britain in the case of the Alabama claims. This plan would avoid all danger of future difficulties in that quarter, and besides rendering fortifications and fleets on the lakes wholly unnecessary.

FROM CENTRAL AMERICA.

Rebellion in San Salvador—Election in Guatemala.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, June 9.

Advices from San Salvador state that President Duenas is engaged in slaughtering the entire Republic in a state of siege, and the establishing martial law. Soldiers and citizens, though countenancing the rebellion, by not taking up arms, will be punished.

He also declares the rebellion unimportant in itself, but as an example may be prejudicial. An army has been sent to quell it, and the rebels are led by Gen. Carbonne, previously high in favor with the Duenas government. The rebellion broke out on the 22d ult., and it is now established. The rebels are losing possession of the public property without resistance. An army of 4,000 men, commanded by Gen. Manuel Arevas, and if the papers state the truth, there is a general manifestation of confidence in Duenas government.

The announcement of the assassination of President Lincoln caused a profound sensation and horror in San Salvador.

The latest news from Guatamala announce the election of Senor Marisical as President of that republic.

FROM NEW ORLEANS.

Brownsville, Texas, Occupied—Rebels Active in Subduing Guerrillas—Kirby Smith in Mexico—Gen. Grierson Appointed to Command Cavalry in the Department of the Gulf.

By Associated Press.

NEW ORLEANS, June 8.

Brownsville, Texas, was entered by the forces of Brigadier General Brown, on May 31st. The Confederates, before leaving, sold their artillery to the Spanish Consul, who is hovering about Matamoras, confederated by Mejia.

Many of the Confederate soldiers are active in subduing guerrillas in the Southern States. No interest is taken in them.

The report of Kirby Smith's going to Mexico, with a large amount of money, is confirmed. Indeed, the whole country is fleeing to Mexico from the military, judicial, professional, and prominent citizens generally.

Colonel Christensen, Assistant Adjutant General of General Canby, has sent in his resignation.

Major General Grierson has been assigned command of the cavalry forces of the Department of the Gulf.

Charles Moore has been appointed chief telegraph operator at Shreveport.

J. M. Sherman was recently appointed Brevet Major General for gallantry at Port Hudson.

General Canby turned over portion of his cavalry force to General Sheridan.

Cotton—middling, 39c. Gold, 145.

MAJ. GEN. TERRY ORDERED TO WASHINGTON.

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, June 9.

Maj. Gen. Terry left this city this morning for Washington, where he reports to the Secretary of War. In consequence of this order, the grand reception tendered to the hero of Fort Fisher, by the Sons of Connecticut, on Saturday evening, is necessarily postponed until next week.

LATEST FROM TEXAS.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, June 9.

A letter in the *Star* from its correspondent on board the United States steamer Penguin, off Sabine Pass, dated May 27th, says: The forts at Sabine Pass, Texas, have surrendered to the United States steamer Iwasso. The American flag was hoisted over the works at 4 o'clock p. m. We expect Galveston to surrender to morrow.

Fire in the "Parker House" Boston,

By Associated Press.

BOSTON, June 9.

There was a slight fire last night in the attic and rear portion of the "Parker House" which was speedily extinguished.

GOT HIM.—Mr. Rogers, of Milford, a member of the Connecticut House of Representatives, made a speech on the proposed amendment to the Constitution striking out the word "white," that there were quite a number of negroes in his town, but he did not know, and never had heard of one who was a passable mechanic. Mr. Thomas Peterson, of Milford, a colored man, objects to this declaration, and writes to the New Haven *Palladium* as follows:

Mr. Rogers was "brought up" a carriage painter, and, I believe, was called a "passable mechanic," on ornamental carriage painting, which is the business I work at; and although I never served any regular apprenticeship at the business, and what I know I have learned myself, yet I will, and do challenge Mr. Rogers to work with me on any ornamental striping, or fancy carriage painting, the work to be submitted to the judgment and decision of Messrs. Haight & Hubbell of Bridgeport, at whose carriage manufactory I now work, doing their ornamental painting, &c. When Mr. Rogers is ready to try his skill with me, I shall be most happy to show him what one of the "despised race" can do.

SECOND EDITION.

1 O'CLOCK, A. M.

Highly Important.

Homeward Movement of Troops.

Fragments of the Wreck of the Transport "Admiral Dupont."

Changes in the Treasury Department.

Prest. Johnson in the White House.

DEAD SOLDIERS OF THE WILDERNESS TO BE INTERRED.

HEALTH OF SECRETARY SEWARD.

Telegraphic Communication with Vicksburg.

Review of Pennsylvania Troops in Philadelphia.

By Associated Press.

PHILADELPHIA, June 9.

A special dispatch to the *Evening Bulletin* of this city dated Washington, June 9th, says: The homeward movements of troops here to-day are very large. One entire corps broke camp this morning, bound for the West.

Several parties imprisoned on suspicion or complicity in the conspiracy have been released to-day from the Old Capitol prison, together with witnesses in the case, who were also confined here.

The *Intelligencer* announces an early restoration of the writ of *habeas corpus*.

NEW YORK, May 9.

A pilot boat yesterday, fifty miles east from Cape May, fell in with the fragments of the steam transport Admiral Dupont. Two boats belonging to the steamer, the Captain's wife's and part of a writing desk were also picked up. The Admiral Dupont left here on the 7th for Fortress Monroe, to take troops to Texas.

The *Commercial's* Washington special says: Assistant Secretary Field will retire from the Treasury Department, provided another suitable place can be found for him elsewhere, and he is supported by Solicitor Chandler, of the Navy Department, otherwise Chandler will succeed Harrington, who has been appointed Minister to Switzerland.

WASHINGTON, June 9.

The President to-day moved into the White House, of which he has now taken full possession.

Government yesterday dispatched five hundred men, with intrenching tools and cellins, to the battle-fields in the Wilderness, for the purpose of decently interring the remains of all the soldiers. The work is quite a number.

An Army delegation called at the State Department this morning, for the purpose of paying their respects to Secretary Seward. They were cordially received by the Secretary.

Yesterday and to-day quite a number of the officers confined in the Old Capitol Prison took the oath of allegiance.

Application was made to the State Department to-day from his residence, for the first time since he received his injuries.

Special to Western Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, June 9.

It will be recollected that a year ago Lieutenant Colonel James M. Anderson, of New York, was summarily dismissed the service by an order of General Dix, commanding the Department of the East. The Fire Department promptly rallied to the scene of the fire, but could not stay the progress of the flames until half of the building was destroyed. The other half, consisting of corn stores was saved from destruction by the fire department. Estimated loss to the government is between $10,000,000 and $20,000,000. Several dwellings near the scene of the conflagration were destroyed, with their contents. So great was the heat, that all approaches to the scene were impossible. But two or three employees are supposed to have perished in the flames.

Later.

The destruction of Government property at the great fire to-day is believed to be between $8,000,000 and $10,000,000. Within its walls were stores sufficient to supply an army of eighty thousand men for two years. The quantity of rope alone consumed was valued at upwards of one million of dollars. The building was the largest in the country—300 feet long by 200 feet deep. Fortunately the buildings were separated by a fire wall. It was suggested and built by the late Gen. L. Dimmick, and the part—5,000 feet front—was by this precaution saved from destruction. Various rumors are afloat as to the cause of the fire, some maintaining that it was the work of an incendiary, others that of accident. A court of inquiry will investigate the matter. The combustion wasso rapid that the building was one sheet of flame before the fire department could work on it.

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The river is three feet on the shoals, and falling.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT NASHVILLE

Great Destruction of Government Property.

Loss Between Eight and Ten Million Dollars.

Rumors Regarding Origin of the Fire.

ARRIVAL OF PROMINENT REBELS.

By Associated Press.

NASHVILLE, June 9.

At about 2 P. M. to-day the extensive building used for quartermaster and commissary stores, on the corner of Summer and Broad streets, known as Taylor's depot, was discovered to be on fire, supposed to have caught from the sparks from a locomotive, which fell in the cellar of the building, from an engine on the track, which runs lengthways of the building. Captain W. A. Wainwright, who was in charge of the building, had two or three inches of water on the floor before the arrival of the Fire Department. The Fire Department promptly rallied to the scene of the fire, but could not stay the progress of the flames until half of the building was destroyed. The other half, consisting of corn stores was saved from destruction by the fire department. Estimated loss to the government is between $10,000,000 and $20,000,000. Several dwellings near the scene of the conflagration were destroyed, with their contents. So great was the heat, that all approaches to the scene were impossible. But two or three employees are supposed to have perished in the flames.

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THE SEVEN-THIRTY LOAN.

PHILADELPHIA, June 8.

The subscriptions to the seven-thirty loan today amounted to $7,918,300. Among the largest subscriptions were the Fifth National Bank of Chicago, $3,0,000; Second National Bank of Chicago, $100,000; Fisk, Hatch & Co., New York, $25,000; Smith, Martin & Co., New York, $50,000; First National Bank of Louisville, Kentucky, $250,000; Ninth National Bank of New York, $100,000; First National Bank of Pittsburgh, $212,000; Exchange Bank of Pittsburgh $100,000; Brewster, Jewett & Co., Boston, $100,000

Trial of the Assassins.

Testimony of the Prosecution.

TESTIMONY MERELY CUMULATIVE.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, June 9.

Miss Mary Mudd, sister of Dr. Mudd, was called and contradicted much of the testimony heretofore given against him.

Several witnesses for the defence testified against the character for truthfulness of some of those who had been examined by the Government.

The testimony this afternoon was mainly with regard to the character of the witnesses on both sides. Benjamin Gardner, for the accused, testified that on Monday after the assassination he met Dr. Mudd at church and asked if it was so. He replied that it was so. He said the people ought to raise a home guard to arrest all suspicious persons in the country.

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Ancient Sympathies and Antipathies.

The characteristic difference between the people of the North and of the South, is not imaginary, but real. Slavery is not the only or the earliest cause of this difference. Fancy may ascribe a greater influence to slavery in the formation of southern character and sentiment, than is just in itself or true to history. There can be no doubt that this exotic institution has exerted a sensible power, and a pernicious one, on the mental and physical habits of the Southern people, and rendered their sentiments on the subject of civil Government very different from those of the Northern mind. But a difference existed independently of this influence. It existed anterior to slavery, and while slavery was in the North as well as the South.

The Northern States were originally settled by a class of people very different from those who formed the earliest permanent colonies of the South. The nucleus of the population, in each, although from the same country, and coming at about the same period, belonged to classes that were not only different but antagonistic. The early type of character has been perpetuated, in both, mitigated in some respects, and aggravated in others. The people who originally migrated to the North-eastern colonies were Puritans, not only in religion, but in politics. They were essentially anti-monarchical and opposed to all aristocratical pretensions. On the other hand, Virginia and the Carolinas were, to a large extent, penal colonies. They were the Botany-Bay of the seventeenth century. From England and Scotland men were banished for crimes and for nonconformity to the church. All these were poor people. Another class of the early Southern colonists was composed of officials of the government, adventurers, younger sons of the nobility, &c.

Thus we have the embrio of the sectional character of the present day; that of the North energetic, unique, democratic; that of the South two fold, the one part aristocratic, engrossing the wealth, the other poor and subject to the control of superiors; the one part holding the political power, the other without weight or consideration in the State.

On the introduction of slavery into the country, it was cherished more in the Southern than the Northern colonies, not merely because it was more profitable there, but because it was more congenial with the character of the ruling class. Although the lower class could not possess slaves, not having the means to purchase them, their introduction was not offensive to them, but rather gratifying. To have a class lower than themselves was some offset to the mortification of having a privileged class above them. In the North, slavery which was never congenial, was rooted out by the characteristic democracy of the people. And in the South, the poor whites were reduced to greater poverty, through the odium which slavery attached to labor, while the wealth, and with it the political influence of the slaveholding aristocracy, was largely increased. After the abolition of slavery in the North, the characteristics of the sections, and of the two classes in the southern section, became more intensified. The anti-aristocratical feeling of the North, and the aristocratical feeling of the dominant class of the South, had free scope, and grew the faster by the contrast, and by occasional competitions of political strength. The two classes in the South became also more distinct and different from each other, by the accumulations of wealth and power in the one, and by the increasing poverty and debasement of the other.

Such being the history of the past, such the true genealogy of the diversities of Northern and Southern character, we cannot but anticipate great and beneficial changes to result from the late violent collision of the two sections. The overthrow of the Southern aristocracy, brought about by their own madness, will embrace among its consequences not only the emancipation of the slaves, but also that of the poor, non-slaveholding whites. The leveling down and leveling up will result in a Republican equality. The destruction of slavery will economize honest labor from the odium that has notoriously attached to it in the South, and wealth, with political privilege and consideration, will be accessible to all.

The removal of slavery, which has been the great obstacle to Southward emigration, will be followed by the influx of enterprise, industry and intelligence, from other portions of the country, by which the physical resources of the South will be developed, and its intellectual, moral, and political condition be vastly improved. Finally, our country will contain a free, unique, united population, all free, prosperous, to the extent of their industry, and happy according to the measure of their virtue. The political millenium will be inaugurated as the culmination of these auspicious tendencies, when there will be no North, no South, no East, no West, but all one, indivisible and invincible.

SOUTHERN FEELING.—The Charleston *Courier* asserts that the press of the North make "a great mistake" by proclaiming that the Southern planters and producers are not willing to accept the new condition of things about the war, and aid in establishing a system of labor on a free basis." The main difficulty, it is maintained, is the penchant of the colored people, who did this work, to leave the plantations and come to the city, under the impression that here they can obtain supplies, free of cost, from the government store-house." If this is the worst difficulty, it is a gratifying assurance, for at the very worst, it is but temporary, and can be removed. The condition precedent most essential to a good state of things in the South, is a reasonable spirit on the part of the Southern planters, and a willingness to accept the new order of things based on the abolition of slavery. This being the case, the rest will follow in time.

SHALL DAVIS BE TRIED BEFORE A CIVIL COURT OR A MILITARY COMMISSION?—After all that has been said, we apprehend that as yet this is an open question, to be determined by the Government. Notwithstanding the outcry raised against trying the conspirators by a Military commission, the country is now ready to acknowledge the propriety of it, and to concede that in no other way could the mass of testimony have been brought out. Men desiring only to see justice done, and confiding in the motives of those having in charge the whole question, will be disposed to trust them, and believe that whichever tribunal is finally selected for trying the arch traitor, the decision has been made with wisdom.

UNLUCKY LEADERSHIP.—Mr. Wendell Phillips cannot be said to be a wise leader, since his proposition to repudiate the national debt, in case free suffrage is not immediately given to the negroes of the South. The scoundrelism of the proposition is too great for adoption even by those who generally permit nothing to stand between them and their radicalism. Negro suffrage is too precious a principle to be ruined in the hands of madmen who stumble not even at wholesale repudiation of honest debts.

PRESIDENT JOHNSON.—The Washington correspondent of the *Independent* throws out the following suggestions, which, no doubt, are timely:

Let me warn impulsive Republicans against a hasty judgment of the President in this matter. He may prove to be as radical as Mr. Sumner himself before the year ends. It is wise to create a strong public sentiment on this subject—a sentiment that will support the President in taking bold ground hereafter in support of universal suffrage at the South. But attacks upon him before he has had time to decide definitely upon his policy, are not justifiable. Personally, he favors negro suffrage. He has said so repeatedly of late. He is in doubt as to the means to be used. Probably he has a little of the old prejudice against the negro. But if he has, can we of the free States cast stones at him? Republican Philadelphia is in a tempest because a black man attempts to ride in its horse-cars. The black man is still disliked at the North. Give Mr. Johnson a little time to watch events. The Virginia election was worth more to us than a hundred severe criticisms, for the President is determined that slavery and disunion must die. He begins to see that he cannot destroy them without the aid of the negro at the ballot-box, as we did not, and could not conquer the armies of the rebellion without his help.

The following dispatch was copied into the COMMERCIAL of Monday, from the New York *Tribune*: A new evening paper is to be started here by Joseph Medill, late of the *Tribune*. Upon this the Chicago *Tribune* "remarks" as follows: This district is slightly inaccurate in three particulars. First—The gentleman named is now, and expects to be in the future, as he has been for the past ten or more years, an editor and proprietor of the Chicago *Tribune*. Second—He intends to start no "evening" or any other kind of newspaper here or elsewhere. Third—He don't spell his name with quite so many "e's." In all other respects the item is correct.

ORACULAR.—The Washington *Republican* takes up a batch of Washington rumors, embracing almost an endless variety of topics, and disposes of them thus:

All the statements about discord existing in the Cabinet, or that any political or fixed policy on the subject of reorganizing the rebel States, or "reconstruction" as it is called, have been agreed upon, beyond the published declarations or official proclamations of the President, are without foundation in fact.

George P. Marsh, our Minister at Turin, sends to the Chicago Fair several valuable autographs, among them those of Napoleon I, Victor Emanuel, Rossini, Beauharnais, and Ristori.

SUPPORTING THE PRESIDENT.

Immense Meeting in New York—Devotion to General Grant—Speeches and Enthusiasm—Reconstruction—Suffrage, &c., &c.

The meeting in support of President JOHNSON and his measures, held at Cooper Institute, New York, Wednesday evening, was one of the largest and most enthusiastic ever held in that city. The enthusiasm was uproarious, inspired very much by the presence of General GRANT; General LOGAN, and other distinguished characters. The ovation to General GRANT exceeded any ever seen. The vast multitude would listen to nobody before the General had shown himself, and they shouted, cheered and yelled as never did a crowd before. Says a report:

At this moment a stir was made near the side entrance, and instinctively the vast assemblage knew that their man had come. Sure enough, as the band struck up "Hail to the Chief," Gen. Grant, supported by Mr. Cliver, and followed by the members of his staff, appeared. Walking along to the platform he was made the recipient of an ovation such as no man ever had before. As one man the people rose; the men swung their hats, clapped their hands, and shouted themselves red in the face; the ladies waved their handkerchiefs, wreathed their fair faces in witching smiles, and fairly glared at the hero of the occasion. The assemblage was Grant to the core. Such cheers are never heard outside this city, such enthusiasm even Cooper institute knew nothing of before. Embarrassed, the General advanced to the very front of the platform, where, but in hand, he bowed and bowed, acknowledging his appreciation of the compliment paid him, as he only could. Sitting at length, in a chair, he attempted to converse with Mr. Grinnell, a lady threw a boquette at him with fatal precision—it broke into its component parts upon the nose of the Lieutenant General; and another lady threw a second bouquet—it struck Mr. Grinnell, who picked it up and handed it to the General. "Let us see you!" shouted a host of voices. Obedient to the call of the people, he rose and walked to the further end of the platform, while every step was a signal for an outburst of applause—a perfect triumph of enthusiastic hurrahing. But they were not to be off so. A speech they wanted, and a speech they determined to have. The persuasions of Gen. Wetmore were added to the entreaties of Mr. Grinnell, and these enforced and indorsed by the husky roarings of the shouting populace, secured the desired result. Rising, with hat in hand, the General advanced to the edge of the platform and spoke as follows:—I thank you for this kind reception. If I were in the habit of speaking I am so impressed by it that I should not be able to respond as I should like to do. You will have to excuse me.

Had the general uttered weighty words of wisdom—had he announced his confirmed intention of giving to each person in the audience a large farm with modern implements, had he told them that their sins were forgiven "on the spot," the people could not have been more excited. The American vocabulary is inadequate for the occasion; words would fail to convey a just conception of the scene which ensued. The hall was too densely crowded to permit of the turning of somersaults, but from head to foot, from limb to limb the entranced and bewildered multitude trembled with extraordinary delight, and manifested, in all known and approved fashion, their entire satisfaction with the foregoing "speech."

Among the resolutions adopted were the following:

Resolved, That in Andrew Johnson we recognize a man worthy to be the successor of the lamented Lincoln, as the Chief Magistrate of a free people. His patriotism and devotion to the constitution, and the great principles of American liberty as therein contained, have been tried, as by fire, and his record found unscathed. We have abiding faith in his wisdom, integrity, firmness and unswerving fidelity to the Union; and believing, from his past record, that his administration will be based upon the great cardinal principles of constitutional liberty, we hereby pledge to him our support as Union men, having in view the great object for which this government was formed, to give him a cordial, steadfast, and unfaltering support.

Resolved, That the people of this country cannot look with indifference upon any movement which seeks to establish a monarchical government upon our Southern borders; and we can foresee that the time is not far distant, when no foreign prince, potentate, or power shall occupy or possess, by force of arms, a single foot of territory on this continent, which, under the Providence of God, has already been dedicated to Free Republican Government.

Resolved, That we hold this truth to be self-evident, that he with whom we can entrust the bullet to save the life of the nation, we can likewise intrust the ballot to preserve it, and we invoke the co-operation of the Federal and State Governments, and the people throughout the loyal States, to use all lawful means to establish a system of suffrage which shall be equal and just to all; black as well as white.

Resolved, That we confidently expect that proper measures will be taken by the Government to obtain reparation for the injuries inflicted upon our commerce and people by the connivance of foreign Powers; and while earnestly desirous of maintaining peace with all the world, we feel assured that peace will be best secured by an early determination and adjustment of the important questions which have grown out of the action taken by the so-called "neutral Powers," during the late war.

Resolved, That we finally believe that party organizations can only be of use when they are based upon substantial and well principled, and that those who unite and labor without regard to a principle, they serve only as a medium to accomplish corrupt purposes of political intriguers and demagogues, and are then wholly pernicious in their influences and effects. That the issue upon which parties have hitherto divided are now substantially settled and decided. The stability of the Union is assured: treason and secession are in chains: slavery is extinguished: the supremacy of the National Government is firmly established; and we hold it to be the duty of all true patriots at this time to cast aside all partisan feeling, and unite in giving a cordial, hearty and undivided support to the Administration in the great work of restoring peace, harmony and prosperity to the whole country.

General LOGAN was one of the speakers. On the subject of Reconstruction and Suffrage, he said:

The questions which will cause some discussion in the country—one of them, the question of the Union of the States that have been in rebellion against the Government. The great question then is, how is this to be done? How are we as a people, a great and magnanimous people, to act toward those, our subdued enemies? How are those States to be organized, to be recognized, through their representatives in Congress? How are they to be dealt with by the Executive? by the administration? by the people? There are difficulties that spring up in reference to how it should be done. Some men, who are wise men, too, and considered so by the country, contend that those States are now in a territorial condition, and that the same power must be exercised by the government in these States as is exercised over Territories prior to their admission into the Union. This idea is advocated by some. The opposite, however, is advocated by, I think, more. I myself am among those who think these States are but territories. (Applause.) I understood when this rebellion was organized against the government, and when the Executive called into service the militia of the several governments, it was to suppress insurrection and rebellion against the laws and the constitution of the land—not for the purpose of wiping out or obliterating States. (Cheers.) Then it was understood that the States could not secede. Secession was unlawful and unwarrantable. Secession could not be submitted to by the people. Disintegration of this government would not be submitted to by the people of the United States. We then fought those battles upon the theory that a State could not secede—that the States were in the Union and could not go out of the Union. Cries of "Good" and applause.) Hence we said, when Jeff. Davis—disses—assumed to be President of a portion of this country, that he had no right to act, because they were then States—as they ever had been—of the Union of these States. (Cheers.) We have maintained that proposition. Secession has been defeated, and the question forever settled here in the Union. (Applause.) Now, I do not want to admit that Jeff. Davis over had a government—cries of "Never"—and I do not want to admit that Jeff. Davis and the leaders of this rebellion should not be convicted of treason and punished as traitors. (Cries of "Good.") Hence, if we desire to punish traitors we have got to keep our own record straight; and, as we want to maintain the law and the constitution, we have got to have the law and constitution upon our side to do it. (Cheers.) This, then, is one of the questions that is discussed by people in the country—or at least I learn so by reading the newspapers. I have not heard any person make a speech that I know of on the subject; but I have learned through the papers that this was discussed.

The next proposition that I understand is decided before the people is this: The State having been reduced to a territorial condition, then it was the duty of the President of the United States to declare that certain men should be permitted to organize this territorial government, and others should be excluded; that is, that he should declare that certain men have a right to vote. I maintain this as being the correct distinction. President Johnson has a right to exercise such power as is necessary to assist in putting the machinery of these States in motion. He has a right, for the time being, to appoint a man as Governor. They are under military authority now. He has a right to appoint persons to govern them, that they may give a head for the purpose of regulating their civil department. (Applause.) When he has done that and they organize, the State is then in existence; not only as it has been before, but it has been reduced to the same conditions that it had before in the government of the United States. The Constitution declares that each State shall regulate the qualifications of its own voters. If President Johnson has a right, by proclamation, to declare that all the negroes in the South are voters, he has a right, upon the same principle, to declare that the white men are not. If the States that have been subdued, or the people of them, are not in a territorial condition, but States, as we maintain they were, in rebellion, then President Johnson has no right to make any such declaration. If he does it he does it in the teeth of the Constitution of the country that we have attempted to support and maintain here [Applause and hisses from a part of the house.] So far as the discussion in reference to the question of suffrage is concerned it is of no concern to me. I have nothing to do with it. I do not care whether the people of Virginia, or North Carolina, or Kentucky, or of any other State allow negroes to vote. It is not my business, but theirs. (Cheers.) In Illinois, where I live, whenever they decide that the negro shall not vote, it is their decision. The Constitution says they have a right to decide, and when they do so, I say amen to it. [Three cheers for Illinois.] But until they do make such a decision in their sovereign capacity as a state, no President has a right to decide for them. (Cheers.) The President has a right to say that certain men have forfeited their rights in this country, by their acts of treason against it. He has a right to issue a proclamation, as he has done, saying that the Governors and Generals and all the leading characters engaged in this rebellion, who advised it, have no right to vote, or hold office, or exercise any other right in this Government, until the people shall grant it to them, on their showing themselves repentant for that which they have done against their country. (Cheers.)

A voice—"Let them repent on the other side of Jordan."

I am not particular where they go to repent so that it is not in this country. (Cheers and cries of "That's it.") He has clearly stated in his proclamation, as I understand it, their rights, or at least what rights they have forfeited. Having forfeited those rights, then I say let the President, or the people of this country, when they become enthroned that certain portions of those people have become satisfied with this government, and are willing to live at peace with us, and become good and loyal citizens, say so. It is their voice, and not mine. I hope I shall never have to decide, for I am afraid it is a long time before some of them will get over the right to vote at any election. (Cheers.) This, however, he has a right to do. He has done it, and I endorse it most cordially. In doing that, however, he has only excluded certain persons from the right of franchise—from the exercise of civil rights; but he has no power to confer those rights where they are not conferred by law, except it is done in accordance with the constitution of the country. [Cheers, and cries of "That's so."] And whenever we govern this country upon that principle, in my judgment, of having the loyal people (because none in the Southern States, now under proclamation, but loyal people can) assist in running the machinery of the States—whenever we do that, there is no danger of there being any trouble in this country in reference to the manner in which to do it. It is for them to decide and not for us. We have settled these questions, as I remarked, that were before the country—the question of secession and the question of slavery, forever. Let these other questions be settled by the people as they properly arise, and as they certainly will arise, and let us not distract ourselves or get up an ill-feeling or bad blood again; but rather see if we cannot live for a few years in peace from North to South and East to West. [Cheers.]

THE PULPIT.

LECTURE ROOM TALK.

BY REV. HENRY WARD BEECHER.

THE DUTY OF CARRYING RELIGIOUS FEELINGS EVERYWHERE AND INTO EVERYTHING.

There is no subject more important at such a time as this, than the duty of carrying our religious feelings everywhere and into everything. A religion that depends on times and seasons is not adequate to the exigencies of life. We are commanded, in Scripture, to the performance of religious duties "in season and out of season"—that is, at regular appointed times and all the way between.

Nothing is more common than for persons to excuse themselves to themselves and to their religious friends for delinquency on account of their peculiar situation. It is a festive occasion, and men say, "You cannot expect much religion at the time." Or, it is a great public gathering, men are excited and hurried hither and thither, and the ready excuse is, "You cannot expect much religion under such circumstances." Or, it is a time like the present, in which every man is running to and fro, and excitement reeks in the way, and men say, "Of course, you cannot look for very much religion in such times as these." Now, I do. Such times as these are just the times for religion. They are the times above all others when we need it. They are the times above all others when, if you have it, you will show it.

Hitched to a plow together, a plow-horse and an Arabian horse are as good one as the other; but when you put them on a long run, over hedges and ditches, and through plowed fields and deep morasses, their blood tells. Then the one bounds and the other. The Arabian can carry himself through difficulties and endure, whereas the back breaks down.

Anybody can be a Christian down hill, but it is not everybody that can be a christian up hill. You can laugh when pleased, of course. You can be happy when people give you everything you want. You are generally; you are favored; you keep up an equilibrium between health and disposition; everything goes right with you; you have people that you love, and sing and pray, and are happy, and feel religious. And I do not say a word against all this; but, then, that does not test you. It's when there are no meetings, where your duty is very hard, and where you are surrounded by many temptations and evil influences; and then, if you have the spirit of religion, it will show itself. And it is at such times that it is most grateful to the heart of your Master. We are witnesses for Christ under such circumstances that your witness is most efficacious upon men. When you offer your pledge to be Christians, if one be found that does, his example goes further than any other exhibition that a Christian man can possibly make.

Of course, the question comes right back to this: How can a man carry his religion under such circumstances? A great many persons don't know, carry their religion as men carry matches and tinder. They keep them in a little box by themselves. They are obliged to keep them dry, in order to have them answer any purpose. If they do not, when they scratch the matches they will not go off. And men have an idea that their religion is a particular experience or feeling to be employed a particular part of the time, and that they must keep it carefully boxed up so that it will not get wet or spoiled.

If you go to another class, you shall find that their idea of religion is that it is a practical, stern sense of duty.

All these include an element of truth; but they are all partial when taken alone, and by themselves. For I understand religion to be that grace of God, or, rather, that divine power, which rests upon the mind, and develops it on every side harmoniously into activity. So that, when the reasons be touched by the spirit of the right use of reason is religion; when God's mind rests upon the moral sentiments, the right use of the moral sentiments is religion; and when the affections are quickened by heavenly inspirations, the right use of the affections is religion. In fact, there is any one thing, it is the going right of the soul under the divine influence. Every part of it that goes right is religious.

Now, what is religion? If you go to one class of persons, that have been brought up thoroughly in ecclesiastic notions, in rarefied ideas, and ask them what religion is, they will tell you that it is performing certain prescribed duties at a given time, in a sacred place, and in a reverent manner. The supreme idea of such persons is, that religion consists in the offering of prayers and praises at proper times, and in proper places, and reverently. They feel that, when that is done, their religion is discharged, and feel that they have done their duty when they have done up their religion all right.

If you go to another class of persons, you shall find that their impression of religion is a high emotive social state, full of religious fervor and feeling, as long as they are in that state, they think they are in the spirit, and blessed—as they are.

If a man feels that his religion is a set performance of prescribed duties, confined to times and season, he will always be troubled to know how to carry his religion into his business; or, trying to mix such religion with business is like trying to mix water with oil. But if religion is not that, if it is carrying yourself right under the influence of God's grace, at home, and in every place, then you are religious whether you are singing and praying among God's people, as a member of the church, or at home sporting with your children. You are leading a religious life in the latter case as really as in the former; and, if divinely, it is affectionately. And, if you can carry yourself in that way, you are religious in your business. The apostle says, "Whether ye eat or drink, or do whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory God." Business is a part of your religious life. It is not a part of your devotional life; but religion is only a part of your religious life. Buying and selling are a part of a man's religious life; if he is a merchant. Hewing and sawing are a part of a man's religious life, if he is a shipbuilder. Delving and blasting are a part of a man's religious life, if he is a quarryman. For your religious life takes in everything that is in you from top to bottom. All the circuits of a man's life, if carried on with an eye to God's glory, and under the influence of the divine spirit, go to make a whole, which whole constitute his religious life.

Suppose a man should call music only that which is above middle C? If he will range from the top to the bottom of the scale. The bass, the tenor, the alto, and the soprano—it takes all these out together to make the whole, which we call music. And so it is in religion.

Wherefore, in such times as those, we shall certainly miscarry and stumble, if we attempt to carry religion into the camp the spirit of the prayer-meeting. People say, "I wish I could carry the spirit of the meeting into all the week." There is a sense in which this is proper, and there is a sense in which it is impossible. Here, you are under one set of conditions, and these conditions make you what you are here. When you go away from here, you may be a Christian, but not with precisely those experiences with which you are now blessed. Natural causes will be at work upon you, and will work different effects. I may carry the spirit of my family all day when I am in my study, but it must be in a general sense that I do it. I can have occasional thoughts for them, and act in reference to their interests; but I cannot feel, when sitting on my saddle and riding through a prairie, as though I were at home sitting in a chair, with my feet on the fender, and with my children gamboling about me. You cannot carry the spirit of your family into a store, where you are busy with customers. And so it is impossible for you to carry the spirit of the Sabbath into the week, unless you can stop the sounds of the week, and surround yourself with the sounds of the Sabbath bell, and have all your thoughts and feelings like those which the Sabbath and its influences inspire. But the spirit of the meeting and of the Sabbath, in the sense of love to God, and love to man, and fidelity to all obligations, you can carry with you everywhere you go. And, if upon leaving the spirit of religion you can carry that with you everywhere you go. And, if you have the spirit of religion, you will carry it everywhere, and at all times; and it will be, now emotive, now practical, now intellectual, now affectional, and now sentimental. It will not manifest itself in the same way at all times. But whether it is emotive, practical, intellectual, affectional, or sentimental, it will be under the divine influence, it will tend toward the glory of God, and you will be living to Christ, and will be His; and so you will fulfill the command, "Whether ye eat, or drink, or whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory of God."

Washington Topics and Gossip.

A strong application has been made to the President in favor of Mr. M. B. Field, the other Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, for a foreign mission, Prussia and Denmark being preferred, as mentioned. Not only prominent and influential gentlemen of New York, but of other parts of the country, join in the request.

It is the opinion of the officers of the special iron clad squadron, which was sent to watch and capture the Stonewall before she was surrendered to the Cuban authorities, that she is not so formidable as was supposed, and that, at home sporting with your children. You are leading a religious life in the latter case as really as in the former; and, if divinely, it is affectionately. And, if you can carry yourself in that way, you are religious in your business. The apostle says, "Whether ye eat or drink, or do whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory God." Business is a part of your religious life. It is not a part of your devotional life; but religion is only a part of your religious life. Buying and selling are a part of a man's religious life; if he is a merchant. Hewing and sawing are a part of a man's religious life, if he is a shipbuilder. Delving and blasting are a part of a man's religious life, if he is a quarryman. For your religious life takes in everything that is in you from top to bottom. All the circuits of a man's life, if carried on with an eye to God's glory, and under the influence of the divine spirit, go to make a whole, which whole constitute his religious life.

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General Intelligence.

The Alton *Telegraph* of the 3d says that large quantities of wheat are coming into that town, and that 12,000 to 15,000 bushels came in the day before. Price from $1 50 to $1 55 per bushel.

The Burlington (Iowa) *Hawkeye* says that the "weather continues hot, dry and sultry, and vegetation languishes for want of rain. Scarcely a drop has fallen in this locality for nearly two weeks, a considerable portion of which time the mercury has indicated a temperature of 99 degrees."

While a body of two hundred men were engaged at battalion drill at West Point, a few days since, a low cloud discharged itself of its electricity, seemingly through the attraction of the two hundred bright gun barrels. Several men were stunned, and a large portion of the guns were knocked out of their owners' hands.

From all the States and from Canada information comes that the growing crops never gave greater promise. The wheat and hay crops in particular are represented to be unusually forward, and the yield is expected to be immensely over a common average. The intelligence from all parts of Pennsylvania is that the crops will be large.

There is now growing on the farm of Captain Isaac Green, of Surry, Me., a willow tree fifty-nine years old, that measures eighteen feet four inches in circumference three feet from the ground. Five feet from the ground there are four limbs, measuring in circumference as follows: Seven feet, six feet four inches, seven feet six inches, eight feet.

Secretary Seward still experiences great difficulty in speaking and eating, his lower jaw being fastened so as to be immovable. The lower part of his face is completely enveloped in the mechanical contrivances for keeping his jaw in place so that it may heal. He is able to attend to business. His son Frederick is now entirely out of danger.

The citizens of Waynesboro, Franklin county, in this State, are raising four thousand dollars to purchase a burial ground near that place, in which to bury all the Union soldiers in that neighborhood who have died or been killed while belonging to the army. The intend also to erect in the grounds a handsome monument, on which will be recorded the names of all the soldiers within the grounds.

Large quantities of rosin, cotton and other native staples, have made their appearance in the streets of Wilmington, N. C., since the issuance of the President's proclamation removing restrictions on trade, and been conveyed to the warehouses for shipment North. One of the papers of that city says that the people are confounded by these mysterious apparitions of the raw materials in their midst; but nobody appears able, or willing, to tell where they come from.

Personal.

Capt. Rearick, one of the oldest settlers in Morgan county, and one of the first steamboat captains on the Western waters, died last Sunday.

The Nashville *Dispatch* of the 3d says: "We are informed by a gentleman who has just arrived in this city from Augusta, Ga., that a force was sent to Washington, Ga., to arrest Robert Toombs, and upon their approach to his residence, he made his escape through the back door, and succeeded in getting away. Intelligence was received on the following day by his pursuers that the unhappy man had committed suicide by cutting his throat." This needs confirmation.

The good people of Galena, Ill., are in a fermentation over the expected arrival of General Grant. They are determined to do something uncommon, and are a good deal exercised how to do it. The present favor of Gen. GRANT, who, of course, will expect to officiate at the General's reception, is a miserable little seamp named Mitchell, who will favor them with moral and pollosophical reflections in Fort Lafayette.

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President—JOSEPH DILWORTH.
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GENERAL ORDERS NO. 6.

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II.—Persons violating this order will be arrested, and their forthwith their establishment will be emptied out on the ground.

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"IN MEMORIAM."

Recollections of Abraham Lincoln.

Mr. F. B. Carpenter, the artist, furnishes in "Hours at Home" for June, a very readable paper devoted to the personal character of Mr. Lincoln. Mr. C. was favored during the past year with six months familiar intercourse under the same roof with the late beloved President, and he recalls in a pleasing manner incidents of interest illustrative of his daily life.

He begins by alluding to the statements in circulation in regard to the religious experience of the late President. The facts he thinks have often unwarrantably embellished. Of all men in the world, Mr. Lincoln was the most unaffected and truthful. He rarely used language loosely or carelessly, or for the sake of compliment. "He was the most utterly indifferent to, and unconscious of, the effect he was producing, either upon dignitaries or the common people, of any man ever in public position."

Mr. Lincoln could scarcely be called a *religious* man, in the common acceptation of the term, and yet a sincere *Christian* I believe never lived. A constitutional tendency to dwell upon sacred things; an emotional nature which finds ready expression in religious conversation and revival meetings; the culture and development of the religious thought and experience becomes almost habitual, were not among his characteristics. An eminent clergyman of Washington, who delivered a sermon upon the life and character of the departed President, says: "It is not necessary to appeal to apocryphal stories in circulation in the newspapers—which illustrate as much the assurance of his visitors as the depth of his own sensibility—for proof of Mr. Lincoln's Christian character."

An incident in this connection is related, which bears unmistakable evidence of truthfulness:

A lady interested in the work of the Christian Commission, had occasion, in the prosecution of her duties, to have several interviews with the President on a business nature. He was much impressed with the devotion and earnestness of purpose she manifested, and on one occasion, after she had discharged the object of her visit, he leaned back in his chair, and said to her:—"Mrs. ——, I have formed a very high opinion of your Christian character, and now, as we are alone, I have a mind to ask you to give me, in brief, your idea of what constitutes a true religious experience." The lady replied at some length, stating that, in her judgment, it consisted of a conviction of one's own sinfulness and weakness, and personal need of the Savior for strength and support; that views of mere doctrine she might and would differ, but when one was really brought to feel his need of Divine help, and to seek the aid of the Holy Spirit for strength and guidance, it was satisfactory evidence of his regeneration.

When she had concluded, Mr. LINCOLN was very thoughtful for a few moments. At length he said very earnestly:

"If what you have told me is really a correct view of this great subject, I think I can say with sincerity, that I hope I am a Christian. I had lived," he continued, "until my boy Willie died, without realizing fully these things. That blow overwhelmed me. It showed me my weakness as I had never felt it before, and I can take what you have stated as a *fact*, I think I can safely say that I know something of that *change* of which you speak, and I will further add, that it has been my intention for some time, at a suitable opportunity, to make a public religious profession."

So much has been said about the uniform kindness of heart and meekness of Mr. Lincoln, that an impression quite generally prevails that nothing ever disturbed his long-suffering forbearance, that he endured contumely and insults with the meekest resignation. But a characteristic incident illustrates that there were phases, even in his experience, beyond which, according to his view, forbearance ceased to be a virtue: "Among the callers at the White House one day, there was an officer who had been cashiered from the service. He had prepared an elaborate defense of himself, which he commenced much time in reading to the President. When he had finished, Mr. Lincoln replied that even upon his own statement of the case the facts would not warrant Executive interference. The man withdrew disappointed and crestfallen. A few days after, he attempted to change the President's mind on the subject, and gaining access to him, went over the same ground in the same manner that he had before done, and with the same want of success. The third time he forced himself upon the President, who, with patient forbearance, listened to another representation of the case, making no reply at the conclusion. The man gathered from the expression of his countenance that he was unconvinced. Turning abruptly, he said:

"Well, Mr. President, I see that you are fully determined not to do me justice." This was too aggravating even for Mr. Lincoln. Manifesting, however, no more feeling than that indicated by a slight compression of the lips, he very quietly arose, laid down a package of papers he held in his hand, and then suddenly seizing the defunct officer by the coat collar, he marched him forcibly to the door, and, not insult [illegible] a whining tone the man begged for his papers which he had dropped, "Begone, sir," said the President, "Your papers cannot go to you. I never wish to see your face again!"

A lady accompanied by two gentlemen were admitted to an interview with the President. She had come to ask that her husband, who was a prisoner of war, might be permitted to take the oath and be released from confinement. To secure a degree of interest on the part of the President, one of the gentlemen in the party was an acquaintance of Mrs. Lincoln; this received however, but little attention, and the President proceeded to ask what position the lady's husband held in the rebel service. "Oh," said she, "he was a captain," "A captain," rejoined Mr. Lincoln, "indeed, rather too high a title to set down simply upon taking the oath! If he was an officer, it is proof positive that he has been a zealous rebel; I cannot release him." Here the lady's friend reiterated the assertion of his acquaintance with Mrs. Lincoln. Instantly the President's hand was upon the bell-rope. The usher in attendance answered the summons. "Cornelius, take this man's name to Mrs. Lincoln, and ask her what she knows of him." The boy presently returned with the reply that "*the Madam*" as she was called by the servants) knew nothing of him whatever. "It is just as I suspected," said the President, "you must make one more attempt to enlist his sympathy, but without effect. "It is of no use," was the reply. "I can not release him" and the party withdrew in high displeasure.

A pleasing incident is told in which our own great Commoner is introduced.

One day the Hon. Thaddeus Stevens called with an elderly lady, in great trouble, whose son had been in the army, but for some offense had been court-martialed, and sentenced either to death or imprisonment at hard labor for a long time. I do not now remember which. There were some extenuating circumstances, and after a full hearing the President turned to the representative and said: "Mr. Stevens, do you think this is a case which will warrant my interference?" "With my knowledge of the facts and the parties," was the reply, "I should have no hesitation in granting a pardon." "Then," returned Mr. Lincoln, "I will pardon him," and he proceeded forthwith to execute the paper. The gratitude of the mother was too deep for expression, save by her tears, and not a word was said between her and Mr. Stevens until they were half way down the stairs on their passage out, when she suddenly broke forth in an excited manner with the words, "I knew it was a copperhead LIE!" "What do you refer to, madam?" asked Mr. Stevens. "Why, they told me he was an *ugly* looking man," she replied with vehemence, "He is the *handsomest* man I ever saw in my life!" "Verily for that lie may he, and for many another, throughout the land, no carved statute of ancient or modern art, in all its symmetry, ever can have the charm which will forevermore encircle that care-worn, but gentle face, expressing as was never expressed before, "MALICE TOWARD NONE—CHARITY FOR ALL."

At one of the "levees," a year ago last winter, during a lull in the hand-shaking, he was addressed by two or three familiar lady friends, one of whom is now the wife of a member of the Cabinet. Turning to them with a weary air, he remarked that it was a relief to have now and then those to talk to, who had no favors to ask. The lady referred to is a strong radical—a New Yorker by birth—but for many years a resident at the West. She replied playfully, "Mr. President, *I have* one request to make." "Ah!" said he at once, looking grave; "well, what is it?" That you suppress the infamous —— (mentioning a prominent Western Journal) was the rejoinder. After a brief pause, Mr. Lincoln asked her if she had ever tried to imagine how she would have felt, in some former administration to whichshe was opposed, if her favorite newspaper had been seized by the government and suppressed. The lady replied that it was not a parallel case, that in circumstances like those then existing, when the nation was struggling for its very life, such utterances as were daily put forth in that journal, should be suppressed by the strong hand of authority; that the cause of loyalty, and good government demanded it. "I fear you do not fully comprehend," returned the President, "the danger of abridging the *liberties* of the people. Nothing but the very sternest necessity can ever justify it. A government had better go to the very extreme of toleration, than to do aught that could be construed into an interference with, or to jeopardize in any degree the common rights of its citizens."

The recollections are concluded with an interesting illustration of the manner sometimes used by the President in the exercise of the pardoning power. It may excite a smile and a tear; but it is averred to be a true relation of an actual occurrence. A distinguished citizen of Ohio had an appointment with the President one evening at six o'clock. As he entered the vestibule of the White House, his attention was attracted by a poorly-clad young woman who was violently sobbing. She said that she had been one of her distress. She said that she had been ordered away by the servants, after vainly waiting many hours to see the President about her only brother, who had been condemned to death. Her story was this: She and her brother were foreigners, and orphans. They had been in this country several years. Her brother enlisted in the army, but, through bad influences, was induced to desert. He was captured, tried and sentenced to be shot—the old story. The poor girl had obtained the signatures of some persons who had formerly known him, to a petition for a pardon, and, alone, had come to Washington to lay the case before the President. Thronged as the waiting rooms always were, she had passed the long hours of two days trying in vain to get an audience, and had at length been ordered away.

The gentleman's feelings were touched. He said to her that he had come to see the President, but did not know as he should succeed. He told her, however, to follow him up stairs and he would see what could be done for her. Just before reaching the door Mr. Lincoln came out, and meeting his friend said good humoredly, "Are you not ahead of time?" The gentleman showed him his watch with the hand upon the hour of six. "Well," returned Mr. Lincoln, "I have been so busy to-day that I have not had time to get a lunch. Go in, and sit down, I will be back directly."

The gentleman made the young woman accompany him into the office, and when they were seated, said to her, "Now, my good girl, I want you to muster all the courage you have in the world. When the President comes back, he will sit down in that arm-chair. I shall get up to speak to him, and as I do so, you must force yourself between us, and insist upon his examination of your papers, telling him it is a case of life and death, and admits of no delay." These instructions were carried out to the letter. Mr. Lincoln was at first somewhat surprised at the apparent forwardness of the young woman, but observing her distressed appearance, he ceased conversation with his friend, and commenced an examination of the document she had placed in his hands. Glancing from it to the face of the petitioner, whose tears had broken forth afresh, he divined its expression for a moment, and then his eyes fell upon her scanty, but neat dress. Instantly his face lighted up. "My poor girl," said he, "you have come here with no Governor, or Senator, or member of Congress, to plead your cause. You seem honest and truthful; *and you don't wear Burgia*—and I will be whipped, but I will pardon your brother."

SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.—AT A MEETING OF the Commissioners of the National Transportation Company, held this day at Board of Trade Rooms in Pittsburgh, Pa., it was resolved that this meeting adjourn to meet at the Monongahela House, in this city, June 15, 1865, at 9 o'clock, a. m., when books will be opened for subscription to the Capital Stock of said Company, in accordance with the act of Incorporation. R. P. JONES, Chairman.
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Plans and proposals will be received by the SHARPSBURG AND LAWRENCEVILLE BRIDGE CO., until the 22d inst., for erecting a bridge over the Allegheny River at Sharpsburg, Pa. For particulars see the undersigned at the office of Lewis, Bailey, Dalzell & Co., Sharpsburg, or at No. 73 Water street, Pittsburgh, Pa., or address him at Sharpsburg, Allegheny county, Pa. JAMES C. LEWIS, President.
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NOTICE TO ALL DELINQUENT CORPORATIONS ORGANIZED UNDER ANY LAW OF THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA.
Notice is hereby given to all companies incorporated by or under any law of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and organized at any time prior to the first Monday of November, 1864, which have failed to make report to the Auditor General, under the act approved April 21, 1858, and the act approved April 30, 1864, that they are required to report to the Auditor General forthwith, as follows, to wit:

In case a dividend has been declared, the Treasurer will report, under oath, the amount of capital paid in, the date, amount and rate per cent. of each dividend during the year ending the first Monday of November, 1864, and any previous year or years in which the company may have had an existence; and in case no dividend has been declared during the year or years ending as aforesaid, then an appraisement of the cash value of the stock, as provided by the 4th section of the fifteenth days of November, must be made by the President or Treasurer, and a majority of the Directors, under oath. When an appraisement is made the report should also state at what time the company was organized.

In addition to the above report, under the act of April 21, 1858, companies not paying a tax on tonnage are required to make a special report, under oath of the Treasurer, of the amount of net earnings or income received during the period from April 30, to November 1, 1864, in accordance with the second section of the act approved April 30, 1864.

COMPANIES INCORPORATED BY OTHER STATES, and "doing business in this Commonwealth" are notified that they are made subject to the tax on net earnings or income under the second section of the act of April 30, 1864, and are required to report to the Auditor General the amount of such net earnings or income received between the 30th of April and the 1st of November, 1864.

All delinquent companies incorporated by or under any law of the State of Pennsylvania will be afforded a reasonable time in which to make the several reports required by law, and above enumerated; but continued neglect or refusal to report will subject to *forfeiture of character* under the second provision of the second section of the act of April 30, 1864, which is in the following words:

"Provided further, That any corporation which has failed to make returns to the Commonwealth as required by the act of April 21, A. D. 1858, entitled "An act for the better securing to the Commonwealth the payment of taxes due by incorporated companies, may make return within sixty days after the passage of this act, any law to the contrary notwithstanding, and all delinquent companies failing or refusing to make full returns and payments to the State as required by this general law, shall forfeit their charters; the Attorney General is especially recommended to proceed against them to, shall have all their rights and privileges declared forfeited by proclamation from the Governor.

ISAAC SLENKER,
Auditor General.
W. H. KEMBLE,
State Treasurer.
HARRISBURG, May 10, 1865.—May 10-1m.

ORPHAN'S COURT SALE.—NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned will expose to public sale on the premises, on Saturday June 24th, 1865, at 10 o'clock a.m., the equal undivided one-half part of all that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the city of Allegheny, marked No. 61 in William Robinson, Sr.'s plan of the sub-division of out lots No. 179 and 180 in the reserve tract called the Buena Vista extension of Allegheny, said lot being bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning on Palo Alta street, at the distance of 618 feet from the Ninth Common, thence North twenty feet to Taylor Avenue, thence by said avenue one hundred and ten feet West to a sixteen feet alley, thence by said alley South twenty feet, thence East one hundred and ten feet to the place of beginning.
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WILL be offered for sale, at public outcry, on the premises, on TUESDAY, JUNE 13th, 1865, all that certain Tract of Land, situate in ELIZABETH TOWNSHIP, Allegheny co. Pa., adjoining lands of Alex. Rankin, Jno. Rankin, J. M. Henderson, William Douglass, and others, late the property of Major John Rankin, deceased, and known as the Farm west of the Township Road, containing One Hundred and Eighty Acres of Land, and about 110 Acres of Coal. There is about one hundred acres of the land cleared, which is rich and well adapted to farming purposes. The balance of the land is well timbered. The farm is well watered with never-failing springs. The buildings are a large brown Log Dwelling House and Frame Stable. The coal is of the best quality of Youghiogheny coal, and at a convenient distance to the Monongahela and Youghiogheny slack water navigation, and near Elrod's Station on the Connellsville Railroad.
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Executor.
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The Daily Commercial

CITY MATTERS.

The Difficulty at Camp Reynolds.

Statement of Major J. A. Cline.

Brief mention was made in yesterday's COMMERCIAL of a difficulty which occurred at Camp Reynolds, on Wednesday afternoon, between a number of the officers of the 155th Pennsylvania regiment, during which Lieut. Col. Ewing was severely beaten. A hearing in the case before Mayor Lowry was appointed for yesterday afternoon, but as James Wells, one of the defendants, failed to appear, the hearing was postponed until Monday morning next. As the affair has created considerable excitement in the city, we subjoin a statement of the facts furnished us by Major Cline:

Major Cline states that on Wednesday evening about six o'clock, the principal of the officers of the regiment, together with about one hundred and fifty enlisted men, had assembled at the station of the Pennsylvania Railroad at Camp Reynolds. A violent storm of rain occurring, the Ticket Agent invited the Major into the office, which gentleman was accepted. The other officers approached the station, and were also invited to enter, which they did, and seated themselves upon a bench. A short time afterwards Gen. Pearson, Adjt. Monteath, Surgeon Mahon, Paymaster Miller of the regiment, and others, entered the office, when the Major rose from the chair upon which he was sitting, which was immediately occupied by Gen. Pearson, the Major resting himself upon the back. Capt. George F. Morman then came to the window, purchased a ticket and while there was accosted by Lieut. Col. Ewing, who struck the Major a violent blow with his hand, which he did. He then told the Major that he wanted him to know *what he thought of him*, adding immediately, that he (*the Major*) was the meanest man he ever knew; that he had basely belied certain officers, and called them vile names at the same time made use of very insulting epithets, calling his absolute lineage, General Pearson was frequently referred to, and assented to the Captain's insulting and abusive language, adding remarks which were undue and disorderly. The Captain now became more excited, when the Major told him that he did not care for any of his remarks, as he was drunk. The Captain then struck at the Major, who shielded off the blow from his face, where it was aimed at, and drew his sword partially from its scabbard, when James Wells, formerly a Lieutenant of the regiment, but who had been dismissed from the service, leaped upon him and caught him by the arms and shoulders, while Captain Morgan snatched the sword from him, which he tendered to Lieut. Col. Ewing, however, he declined to do so, and then threw it out of the window. Col. John Ewing then came in and endeavored to pacify the parties, when Captain Morgan turned upon him, and after using very insulting language, struck him. The door of the office was then thrown open, and Morgan and Wells both joined in beating the Colonel. The Major caused the door to be again opened, and upon attempting to assist Colonel Ewing from the house was struck by Wells and pushed out of the office. A number of the citizens then forced their way into the room and rescued the Colonel. Other parties were becoming enraged, and threatened throwing stones, when a train arrived, which caused a cessation of the difficulty.

The whole affair is deeply regretted by the friends of the regiment, as a more harmonious feeling was supposed to exist among the officers. Col. Ewing will undoubtedly be sent to Court where it will be fully vindicated. Col. Ewing is still suffering from the injuries which he received, which has forced their way into the head cut. Major Cline does not bear any external marks.

Pittsburgh Lutheran Synod.

The Synod convened at eight o'clock, Wednesday morning, and after the usual services, took up the various Committees reported. The Committee appointed to prepare a paper on the State of the country, and our duty as Christian citizens in this peculiar crisis of our national history, presented the following:

Resolved, That we, for the first time in the three days' session of this Synod, have trouble to find words sufficiently expressive of our feelings of joy and gratitude to Almighty God, that the rebellion being completely crushed, and the authority of the Government re-established over all the States of the Union, it becomes us to give expression to the conviction of our hearts. In view of the great deliverance which God has wrought.

Resolved, That for the complete suppression of the gigantic rebellion in the South against rightful authority, and the consequent restoration of the National Government over the whole land, our heartfelt and unceasing thanks are due to Almighty God. He it is who has got even us this day, by the hand and by the strength of a tad brave and experienced soldiers, by prescribing us Christ-insanctity and divine war, by enabling confidence in the right and conviction in the duty of the laity, by his sacrifices of toil, treasure and blood for the preservation of the nationality, by his overruling of all things, even to our defeat and humiliation, that the glory might be ascribed alone to Him, who sitteth on the throne ruling right, as the great Governor of the nations.

2. That the assassination of Abraham Lincoln, the late and revered President of these United States, in the very hour of the nation's triumph, we recognize not only an atrocious crime, begotten of treason and rebellion, but a potent reason to cease from man whose breath is in his nostrils, and trust alone in the living and for the great interests of law and government, of justice and liberty, which are committed to our charge as a nation.

3. That, holding as we do, that slavery as it existed in the Southern States, and was upheld under the colors of the law, was a sin against God and a crime against man, this Synod expresses its devout thankfulness to God at the breaking up of this accursed system of iniquity, and at the proclamation of liberty throughout the land to all the inhabitants thereof. And we at the same time, pledge ourselves to the use of influence in every proper way, that full justice be done to our colored brethren, who have so long been the victims of this most unchristian oppression.

4. That seeing, as we have done, during the unfolding of the great rebellion, a fearful neglect of waiting the command of God which requires obedience to parents and superiors, as a commandment with promise and the foundation of all government—We cease not in our supplications, not only to pray for all that are in authority, but to set forth with greater fidelity than ever the whole counsel of God, to the reproof of all who are culpable with crime, and to the encouragement of those who lead quiet and peaceable lives.

The standing committees were then announced by the President, and after uniting in prayer, in singing the doxology and receiving the benediction, the Synod adjourned to meet on the 25th of October, 1865, at Salem Cross Roads, Westmoreland county, Pa.

Visit of the Grand Jury to Dixmont.

The Grand Jury having visited Dixmont, by special invitation yesterday, the gentlemen present, after having carefully inspected all the apartments, deemed it proper that some formal expression of their views should be had. Whereupon, the Hon. Edwin H. Stowell was called to the chair, and R. C. Loomis appointed secretary. On motion, a Committee was appointed to draft a preamble and resolution, in reference to the institution, for publication, which duly reported as follows, the resolutions being unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, An inspection of the Western Pennsylvania Hospital, at Dixmont, has fully satisfied us that it is an institution that deserves the reputation which it has attained as a place eminently adopted to the purposes for which it has been founded, and

Resolved, That we consider the said institution fully deserving the confidence of the public and recommend it to the special care of the Legislature.

Resolved, That the Superintendent, Dr. Joseph A. Reid, and the Assistant, Dr. Wray Grayson, are entitled to our gratitude for the attention they manifest in regard to the order and cleanliness of the building, and the patient efforts they constantly exhibit in their care of the unfortunate inmates under their charge.

Edwin H. Stowell, } James McAuley,
Dr. George S. Hays, } William Holmes,
Joseph Dilworth.

The Discharge of the Veteran Reserve Corps.

Numerous inquiries having been made, relative to the discharge of the men composing the Veteran Reserve Corps, we are at liberty to publish the following letter, received by the Governor, which will no doubt settle a question that has caused considerable trouble to officials who could not give any definite information in regard to the matter:

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
WASHINGTON, May 17, 1865. }

SIR:—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your communication of the 11th inst., requesting information relative to the discharge of men transferred to the Veteran Reserve Corps. In reply, I have the honor to inform you that they will be discharged upon the expiration of the term of service for which they enlisted.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
SAMUEL BRECK, A. A. G.

To His Excellency, Andrew G. Curtin, Governor of Pennsylvania.

American Institute of Homeopathy.

The American Institute of Homeopathy is in session in Cincinnati. At the Committee on Resolution, reported favorably on the following:

Resolved, That the American Institute of Homeopathy request all bodies of homeopathic Physicians to send delegates to its meeting. Adopted.

The question as to the location of the next meeting being under discussion, it was

Resolved, That when the Institution adjourn, it be to meet in Pittsburgh, on the first Wednesday in June, 1866.

The following were appointed a Committee of Arrangements for the 11th session of the Institute, to be held in Pittsburgh:

M. Cote, M. D., J. C. Burzher, M. D., J. F. Cooper, M. D., D. Cowley, M. D., H. R. Hoffman, M. D., all of Pittsburgh.

Wm. Tod Helmuth, M. D., of St. Louis, was appointed orator for the next meeting. Pusey Wilson, M. D., of Philadelphia, alternate orator.

Court of Quarter Sessions.—Before Judges Stowe and Brown.—*Friday, June 9.*—The following tavern keepers pleaded guilty to selling liquor without license: John Conway, fined fifty dollars and costs; Rinehard Fredeny, William Pollock, Morgan O'Brien, Patrick McCormick, John Rushford, E. H. M'Aninch and Thomas Adley, fined twenty dollars and costs each; Catharine Wilbert, Hugh Maloney, G. F. Weygrandt, Sarah Sane Robinson, Gabriel Fry, and Ezekiel Reece, each fined ten dollars and costs.

Daniel G. Levi, indicted for obtaining money under false pretences, on oath of William Stedmacher, was found guilty and sentenced to pay a fine of two hundred dollars and costs, and undergo an imprisonment of one year in the county jail.

John O'Hara and Joseph Aldred, assault and battery, on oath of Jane Beadlin, were found guilty, and sentenced to pay a fine of six cents and costs.

T. H. Tobias plead guilty to assault and battery on the person of Joseph Guthrie, and was fined fifty dollars and costs.

ACCIDENT.—Last night as the Eagle steamer was returning from the fire at the Monongahela House, the driver, William Doak, was precipitated from the engine, near the corner of Fifth and Smithfield streets, by the breaking of the foot-board, and had his leg fractured above the knee by the fall. The horses were going at a rapid pace at the time, as the driver, in endeavoring to right himself, ran the risk to avoid cars. Just with a street car, placed too much stress upon the foot-board, which gave way. He was removed by a neighboring house, and Dr. McCook sent for, who dressed the wounded limb, after which he was removed to his residence in the First Ward.

PETTY BUSINESS.—There are many small species of fraud, but that of altering the denomination of postal currency is the smallest. We have been shown what purported to be a fifty cent U. S. currency note. Upon close inspection it was found that the figure five (5) had been cut out of a five cent note and pasted over the one (1) on a ten cent note, thus giving it the appearance of a fifty cent currency note—being issue. The business community should keep a sharp lookout for these petty frauds, and have the offenders punished for thus mutilating our National currency.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.—Before Judge McCandless.

The argument in the case of Wm. Campbell *vs.* the steamer Lena Lewis, on appeal, for damages in the sum of seven hundred dollars, was commenced yesterday and will be concluded this morning.

District Attorney Carnahan filed a libel of information against the distillery of Simon Morodeck, of Green county, and a writ of monition was ordered to be issued. This is another case of fraud in making revenue returns.

CITY MORTALITY.—Dr. George L. McCook, Physician to the Board of Health, reports the number of interments in the city for the week ending June 3, at sixteen. Five deaths were from consumption, and the remaining eleven from as many different diseases, as follows: Variola and complicated sore throat—Lockjaw, variola, spotted fever, diphtheria, dysentery, disease of stomach. Eight were adults and eight children.

SLIGHT FIRE.—Last night about ten o'clock a fire occurred in the baking department of the Monongahela House, but was extinguished before any material damage was done.

BATHING IN THE RIVER.—Since the inauguration of the "heated term" our citizens residing along the banks of the rivers have been much annoyed by the conduct of a large number of men and boys, who are in the habit of bathing during the day. The practice has been continued to such an extent as to become unbearable, and the interference of the Mayors of the two cities has been solicited to put a stop to it, but without success. It appears strange that any sane person will bathe near the abutments of the bridges, as it is well known that the river at these points abounds with whirl by boys are denominated "suck holes." Rarely a summer passes without at least a dozen cases of drowning occurring at these places, and it is surprising that any one who trusts himself in the water under the bridges escapes with his life. In the month of July, 1858, eight boys were drowned under the St. Clair Street bridge alone, and it is estimated that fully one hundred persons have met their death in the rivers and have met with sudden deaths through a want of care in selecting a proper place for bathing. Parents should warn their sons of the danger to which they expose themselves, and insist upon their compliance with their injunctions in this respect, else they may be called upon to mourn for their untimely fate.

HORSE THIEF CAPTURED.—The detective horse police of Mercer county, composed of the citizens of the county, are ever vigilant. On Saturday last, a stranger arrived at Jamestown riding bareback a good looking horse, which excited suspicion that all was not right. The detectives overhauled him, and after some conversation they placed him under arrest and took charge of the animal. He is a tanner, dark chestnut color, dark mane and tail, and a good walker. The man who owns her is represented to have a downcast look, dark complexion, very much pitted with small pox, and a half foot shuffle and about thirty years old. There is scarcely a doubt that the man is a horse thief. One correspondent says Mercer county is not the best section of country to travel through with stolen horses.

JOHN SHIELDS, Esq., Police Master, was arraigned on a charge of attempting to shoot Lieutenant John L. Williams, of the Allegheny Night Police. The defendant was without counsel. During the trial, which occupied the entire afternoon, the Court assigned him counsel. During the trial, which occupied the entire afternoon, the jury found the defendant guilty of the had already served seven terms in the Eastern Penitentiary, the aggregate number of years of his imprisonment being twenty-seven. The jury found a verdict, without leaving the box, and the Court sentenced him to imprisonment for the period of his natural life in the Penitentiary for the term of seven years.

Peter Auffuy, was tried on a charge of felonious assault and battery. On the night of the 30th ultimo, during a row on Penn street, officer Kurtz, of the "Emergence" Police, was struck on the head with a stone thrown by Auffuy, which inflicted a severe wound. The defendant denied throwing the stone, but the evidence of several witnesses fastened the crime upon him. Auffuy is a member of the 102d Regiment and arrived in the city a few days before the affray, on a furlough of ten days. He will probably be sent to the Penitentiary.

SHIRT STORE IN OIL CITY.—W. C. Elliott, late opened a Shirt Store in the Red Lion Hotel building, opposite the Crapo House, Main street, Oil City, where he intends keeping a large assortment of men's furnishing goods. Mr. Elliott's goods will be manufactured by him, if out of the raw material, and by no other advantages, he will sell cheaper than the cheapest. He understands the business thoroughly, and willgive satisfaction to his patrons.

NATIONAL TEMPERANCE LEAGUE.—At a meeting of this League, held on Tuesday evening, in the German M. E. Church, Ohio street, Allegheny, it was ready of the League tri-monthly instead of weekly, as formerly.

The Secretary was notified to request the ministers of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, through the daily papers, to preach sermons on the last Sabbath in June, on the subject of Temperance.

On motion, the Executive Committee was ordered to ascertain the position of the county nominees on the question of Temperance, and report at the next meeting, which will be held on Tuesday evening, June 20th, in the First Presbyterian Church, Allegheny.

Rev. Howard Malcom, D. D., Rev. Howard's Church, (the First Presbyterian,) on Tuesday evening, June 13th, for the purpose of forming a branch League.

Public Amusements.

THEATRE.—Miss Eberle's benefit last night was largely attended. At the conclusion of the first play, E. G. Childs, Esq., on behalf of a number of the admirers of the lady, presented her with a beautiful service of silver, which Miss Eberle received in a neat and appropriate speech. To-night Mr. H. A. Wentworth, a very deserving young actor, will take a benefit, on which occasion a rare bill is presented.

THE NATIONAL THEATRE.—On Monday evening next, Mr. Billie Somerby will unfold to the public at Concert Hall, his paintings of scenes of the late sanguine national tragedy. These paintings, we are assured, have been executed by several of the best artists in the country, and their portraits are said to be pregnant with fidelity. Mr. Somerby, it will be recollected, is the philanthropic artist who accompanied the Polyorama of the War, when it was on exhibition here, and is admirably qualified to explain the paintings, and point out their attractiveness by his eloquent descriptive powers.

THUMBLE'S VARIETIES.—The round of novelties at this popular place of amusement continues to draw crowded houses, notwithstanding the extreme heat. Two new features appeared last night—Mr. and Mrs. Gardner—the former an inimitable negro delineator, and the latter a most engaging danseuse.

The Sable Children, Harrold, the great clog dancers, are unapproachable in their line. Mr. Mueller, the violinist, and Macarthy and Hewett, appear this evening, the latter for the last time this season.

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	Bid.	Asked.
United States 5-20's	105 00	
Allegheny County 6's		75 00
Connellsville 6's	74 00	
Pittsburgh 6's		5 00
Allegheny & Manchester P. Railway	50 00	
Connellsville Railroad (int. stock)	9 00	
Pittsburgh & Southern Railroad		7 00
Allegheny National Bank		81 00
Exchange Bank		90 00
People's National	102 00	
Manufacturers'		19 00
Banner		1 35
Columbia		48 50
Cherry Run Central		1 00
Central Bank	65 00	
Iron City Bank		75
Fleming's Blood Farm	1 00	
Federal		95
Merchants		50
McAboy Cherry Run		1 00
Monongahela Bank		75
National Refining and Storing		7 00
Ohio Valley		1 20
Oil Bank, of Philadelphia		2 00
Oil City and Pithole		1 50
Oil Creek and Cherry Run	2 12	
Rose	50	
Stella		45
Star Well		1 00
Tuck Petroleum of New York	90	
Triumph Petroleum		1 10
Western Pennsylvania		1 00
Murray		1 00

There were no sales at the Petroleum Board to-day and the quotations in the table above show a very depressed condition in prices. Stocks, however, are no dullerthan the general trade market. Money is abundant, but there is nothing sufficiently attractive commercially or speculatively to induce investment. Yet it is true the Government loans continue to absorb a great amount of idle funds, as it is the best avenue through which to make interest of money. The oil stock speculation has quieted down so much that we can scarcely get a sale to report, where hundreds of thousands of shares held by thousands of individuals. Holders of money of our local companies seem to have an abiding faith that their investment will turn up quite profitable, as the property is developed and the price of crude oil advances, and that this is the season for a general lull, and they can afford to await the course of events. For a few names in the oil stock list there was some inquiry to-day. Cherry Run and Pittsburgh, on account of its large interest in Pit Hole territory, could be sold at 90, and Oil City and Pittsburgh, a choice little company with a small capital, but a good producing well, and will realize on their oil just as soon as the market for oil advances to a fair price, had upon the whole, at the present time trade is stagnant, and may remain so during the summer season.

In many respects this is considered a fortunate circumstance, as it will enable our merchants, who have toiled and fretted over the ups and downs of prices for so many months past, to enjoy a holiday pleasure, unmingled with cares or anxieties of any kind. It will give a respite to that nervous set of speculators, who have so long disturbed the quiet of themselves and all around them, and will afford ample time for the physical and mental renovation necessary to commence the fall campaign, which, if we read aright the signs of the times, will be one of very great importance to the country, in a commercial point of view.

—Bank stocks in Philadelphia, according to the *Ledger*, are sparingly offered, and an order to buy any considerable amount of any of them would materially advance prices. With the present good credit of government securities, and the opportunity they afford the banks to make interest on their heavy deposit lines makes bank shares the most productive of all the various stock investments. We have reason to know that some of our city banks are now, and have been for some months past, making at the rate of from 25 to 30 per cent per annum on their capitals, and several others of them at from 15 to 20 per cent. What is equally important in banking, these heavy profits are unaccompanied with losses.

—Yesterday, in Philadelphia, there was great excitement in Reading Railroad shares. Everything else seemed to be neglected, and everybody was anxious to get in on Reading. Holders of the shares were not slow in ascertaining this fact, and prices were immediately advanced. The opening price, which was 55½, showed an advance of ½ on the highest price reached yesterday. It sold up to 56, then down again to 55¾, and closed at 56. Some 6,200 shares were disposed of at the Stock Exchange.

—The following shows the exports (exclusive of specie) from New York to foreign ports for the week ending June 3, and since the beginning of the year:

	1865.	1864.
For the week	$4,561,409	$2,875,180
Previously reported	77,710,504	69,435,853
Since January 1	$82,575,373	$72,273,033

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COMMERCIAL.

PITTSBURGH GENERAL MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY COMMERCIAL, }
PITTSBURGH, Saturday, June 10, 1865. }

BUSINESS.—Dullness holds its way at present, and buyers of large parcels seems to have left town. The weather continues very warm. This, however, is the busiest term. There is a season for all things. The demand for the leading articles was altogether of a local description. Dealers confine their purchases to a sufficient amount to meet their present wants, and they do not seem to have any faith in the present prices. This will account for the small amount of business being transacted. Our markets contain an ample supply of products, but prices, however, were irregular and liable to changes, hence the quotations of to-day, may be quite the reverse on the Allegheny landing, tranie was dull. This, however, is generally the situation of affairs during low water. The receipts of oil was light, the trade on that stream being carried on by the aid of keel, flats and barges. The steamers formerly engaged in that trade have sought other waters in order to put in the time. On the Monongahela river there was of low water was very perceptible, and only light draught boats have any pretensions to do business. In fact, we have only recorded the departure of the Silver Cloud, with coal to Petroleum. To-day we announce the departure of the Venango Belle and the Pilgrim, bound for the Virginia oil regions, with moderate trips. The Speer also arrived. The Petrolia were both discharging and may be expected to depart this day. The weather was very warm and cloudy. Whether we shall be visited with the rain and flashes of lightning the things to be, remains to be seen. Our citizens can retire to the watering places, at least those that have any spare cash. Others can stay at home, or do just as they please. Below will be found the sales that came under our notice. The sales resemble more of retail than a wholesale business. We give them just as they were given us:

HAY.—The receipts for some days have been limited, by wagon. The supply of baled, however, was large and has answered every purpose. At the sales we note small transactions at $16 sales to $18 long baled sold at a variety of prices, according to quality. The supply was fully up with the demand. Prices have a downward tendency.

LEATHER.—The market was inactive; occasionally we hear of a small sale of Galena soft at 36 @ 38 ℔.

BEANS.—We hear nothing worth record in regard to this article. The supply being light, we have never noticed less disposition to operate than has been exhibited the past week. The receipts, although limited, were more than sufficient to meet the wants of the home market. There was no export demand which caused a rise in the stock. Sales are nominal at $3 @ $3 50.

We have not heard of a single large operation for a week past, being confined entirely to small lots, for choice brands $8 00 to $8 25. Country Family $7 37 to $7 50 per bbl.

BUTTER.—The market was not active. The present warm weather is favorable for exporting. Good will command 16 to 20c. Inferior sells at a variety of prices, just what it will bring.

CHEESE.—The receipts are increasing with a fair local demand, and with sales of 60 boxes new western reserve at 18c. Country prime sells at 17c.

POTATOES.—The days of the old crop are numbered. A good article is not to be placed on the table, being full of rot, and unfit for use. New potatoes are selling at 65@65c. Peach blows at 90c@$1.

DRIED FRUITS.—The market was inactive and prices tend downward. Small lots of apples was disposed of at 9@9½c. Peaches at 25@26c per lb.

VINEGAR.—We note further sales of cider and vinegar at 35c per gallon. The stock on hand is not large.

SEEDS.—Prices continue to hold their own with light sales at $2@2 25 per dozen, prices being governed by the receipts.

BACON.—We have nothing new to note in regard to this article. The business at present is confined to lots to supply the wants of the trade. Hams and shoulders range from 15 to 15½c; sides, ribbed, 16 to 16½c; hams, plain sugar-cured, 20c; to 22c; canvassed 21c; to 23c. Shoulders, in bulk sell at 13½c; sides, plain, at 15½c; rib, at 15½c.

LARD.—The market was not very active. Small sales were reported at 12c for plain and 13c for canvassed.

LARD OIL.—Prices have undergone no change during the week. Sales of No. 1 at $1 40@$1 45; No. 2 at $1 30@$1 35 per gallon. The market contains a fair supply.

The following are SAWYER'S prices of soap and Candles:

Castile and Variegated Toilet Soap	15	℔ lb.
Brown Windsor and Olive	12	℔ lb.
Honey	10	do 75 do do cakes.
Transparent	do	do 50 do do bars.
Germania and Palm	do	15 ℔ lb.
Palmatine	do	13 do
Cheap Olive	do	11 do
Common Rosin	do	9 do
Moulded and Dipped Candles	20@22	℔ lb
Crystalline	do	25 do
Star	do	30 do
Sperm	do	60 do

Hoops cut to specified lengths, ¼ cent per pound extra.

ROUND AND SQUARE.

1 to 2½ inch	45
2¾ inch to 3 inch	50
3½ to 4 inch	55
4½ and 5 inch	60
5½ and 6 inch	65
6½ inch	70
7 inch	75
7½ inch	80

OVAL.

2½ to 3 inch	50
3½ and 4 inch	55
4½ and 5 inch	60
5½ and 6 inch	65
6½ inch	70
7 inch	75
7½ inch	80

HALF ROUND AND HALF HOUND.

2½ to 3 inch	50
3½ and 4 inch	55
4½ and 5 inch	60
5½ and 6 inch	65
6½ inch	70
7 inch	75
7½ inch	80

SHEET.

No. 16 to 17	65
18 to 20	70
21 and 22	75
23 and 24	80

All sheets over 24 in. wide, ½ cent ℔ lb extra.

SHEET. American, Charcoal.

No. 16 to 17	6¾
18 to 20	8¼
21 and 22	8¾
23 and 24	9¼

All sheets over 24 in. wide, ½ cent ℔ lb extra.

SHEET.

9-16, ⅝ and 5-16 inch thick.

Over 36 inches in length, ½ cent ℔ lb extra.

FLAT BARS.

Punched and Counter Sunk.

NAIL RODS.

NAILS.

	50	51	100	150	200
Casing Nails,	6@6½	5½@6	5½@6	5@5½	5@5½
	6½@7	6@6½	6@6½	5½@6	5½@6
Flushing	6@6½	6@6	6@6	5@5½	5@5½
	7½ to 10	7 to 10	7 to 10	6 to 10	6 to 10
Barrel	8 to 10	7 to 10	6 to 10	5 to 10	6 to 10
	60	80	100		
Tobacco	6	8	10		

Extra per keg off in lots of 100 kegs or upwards.
1 cent per round off Iron, (except Shoe) from in lots of 20 tons.

Prices subject to changes of the market without notice.

TERMS.

For IRON AND NAILS—Note or acceptance at 60 days, with Exchange on New York, or a discount of 3 per cent. for cash, if remitted on receipt of invoices. For Nails, 4 months. For Iron, 6 months. Or 5 per cent. discount for cash, if remitted on receipt of invoices. Treasury Notes, or their equivalent. No discount on bills of less amount than 50 dollars.

For spikes, rivets and shafting, net cash.

Pittsburgh Tin and Roofing Market.

SATURDAY, June 10.

The market was not active. Prices have further declined $1 50 per box, on all sizes. The following table embraces the figures up to last evening:

I-C—10x14	$14 00	I X—10x14
I-C—12x12	14 50	I X—12x12
I-C—14x20	15 00	I X—14x20
I-C—Roofing	13 00	I X—Roofing

BLOCK TIN PER ℔.

Block tin	44c@	Bar
Pig Sheets	44c@	Bar Solder

Pittsburgh Steel Market.

SATURDAY, June 10, 1865.

The following is a precise list of the best quality of Refined Cast Steel—square, flat, octagon, and ordinary sizes, viz:

¼, ⅜, ½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 1, 1¼, 1½, 1¾, 2 inch	18c
2¼, 2½, 2¾, 3 and 3½ inch	20c
4, 4½, 5, 5½, 6 and 6½ inch	22c
7 to 9 inch	25c
Above 9 to 10 inch	30c
11, 12, 13 inch	35c
14 to 16 inch	40c
17 to 18 inch	50c

Pittsburgh Copper Market.

SATURDAY, June 10.

The market remains inactive. Prices have further declined 2c. The following are the rates up to last evening, viz:

Braziers' Bolts, Bars and Sheathing, ℔ lb	42c
Copper Bottoms	52c
Ingots	39@40c

Pittsburgh Cracker Market.

PITTSBURGH, June 10.

The following are the card prices of crackers corrected on Monday, viz:

Water, ℔ lb	8½ cts	Soda	10½ cts.
Butter	10½	Sugar	12½
Boston	10½		

Milwaukie Market.

June 7.

Flour—Dull. Sales 200 bbls city spring at $6 25. Receipts, 12,000 bbls.

Grain—Wheat unsettled. Sales on Change 74,000 bush at $1 80@1 87, with more doing. Sales 7,000 bush No. 1 shelled at 81c.

The wheat market at the Newhall House this evening closed dull at $1 18 for No. 1. Sales 20,000 bush for cash, at $1 17@1 18.

Wheat in Iowa.

During the past few weeks a very large amount of wheat and other grain has been coming into this market, much of it from a long distance, in the country, and from neighborhoods that have for the past year or two been marketing their grain at other points on the river.—*Lyons Mercury.*

Wheat at Alton, Ill.

Large quantities of wheat are now coming to this city, and our buyers are storing thousands of bushels. We heard it estimated that 12,000 to 15,000 bushels came in yesterday. The price averages from $1 50 to $1 55 for choice.—*Alton Telegraph.*

St. Louis Tobacco Market.

June 8.

Holders of tobacco are firm and reject most of the bids. Sales were 25 hhds green logs at $1 30 to 5, 5 hhds factory logs at $5 @ 6c 9 hhds planters' logs at from $6 10 to 8 25c 25 hhds common shipping leaf at $8 50 to 10, 4 hhds medium do at $14 to 15, 4 hhds common manufacturing leaf at $16 00 to 22, 2 hhds medium do at $25 and $25 50, 2 hhds good do at $40 and $41 @ 100 lbs. Bids on 81 hhds rejected.

Louisville Tobacco Market.

June 8.

Tobacco—There were no sales at two of the warehouses to-day, the break amounting to 105 hhds, including a lot of choice Ballard & Co., manufacturing leaf, which ranged from $24 to 50. The following are the

Ninth street—2 hhds trash at $2 20 to 4 10, 14 hhds lugs at $5 to 9 80, 13 hhds at $10 to 19 25, and 3 hhds at $21 to 25 25.

Boone—1 small rack of trash at $3 20, 3 hhds at $8 40 to 9 90, 19 hhds at $6 to 9 85, 25 hhds at $10 to 15, 4 hhds at $20 50 to 25 50, 7 at $30 to 35, and 1 of choice manufacturing leaf at $60.

Cincinnati Provision Market.

June 8.

Mess Pork was very much unsettled in New York to-day, and a portion of the advance noticed yesterday was lost, and prices, at the close, were very irregular. In our market there was a fair demand early in the day, with sales of city-packed at $21 75 to 22, but after the advices from the east were made public the market closed heavy, with no buyers at over $21, and, we understand, some purchases were made at this figure. Several lots of country sold at $22@22 50. There was but little inquiry for bulk meats, and the transactions were light. Shoulders are quoted at 11c and rib sides 12c, loose, at which figure $60,000 lbs sold; and there was also a sale of shoulders at 11c packed. Hams are held firmly at 18@c, in sc, and thirty hhds sold at 14@c, packed. Nothing transpired in bacon shoulders or sides. Sugarcured hams are in fair demand at 21c for city brands canvassed and packed, and in some cases 22c